Protocol Outline – Clinical Case Report or Series

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1. **INTRODUCTION**
2. **Background** <Provide a brief overview of the clinical problem, including relevant literature and previous studies (guidance to be deleted)>

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1. **Rationale** <Explain why this particular case is significant and what gaps it addresses in the current clinical knowledge (guidance to be deleted)>

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1. **CASE PRESENTATION**
2. **Patient demographics and history** <Insert relevant demographic details (age, gender, medical history etc) (guidance to be deleted)>

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1. **Clinical findings** <Insert a narrative of the case and the clinical presentation and any diagnostic testing undertaken (guidance to be deleted)>

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1. **DIAGNOSIS (if known)** <Discussion of differential diagnosis/es based on clinical presentation and test results (final diagnosis if reached) (guidance to be deleted)>

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1. **TREATMENT AND INTERVENTION** <Description of treatments and interventions implemented (incl. medication, surgeries, allied and complementary interventions, all other therapies) with an explanation why these were chosen/recommended (guidance to be deleted)>

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1. **OUTCOME FOLLOW-UP** <Documentation of the patient’s (patients’) response to the treatments and interventions and Follow-up (if any) (guidance to be deleted)>

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1. **DISCUSSION** <Discuss the implications of the case findings, how they relate to existing literature, and what can be learned from this case (guidance to be deleted)>

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1. **CONCLUSION** <Summarise the clear takeaways and potential clinical applications of the case study, lessons learnt and insights gained (guidance to be deleted)>

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1. **ETHICAL CONSIDERATIONS** <Include that written consent will be obtained from the patient (guidance to be deleted)>

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1. **REFERENCES/BIBLIOGRAPHY AND APPENDICES**

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