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Journal Name:	Ophthalmology Research: An international Journal
Manuscript Number:	2013_OR_7026
Title of the Manuscript:	Dendriform patterns associated with Herpes Zoster Ophthalmicus Ophthalmoplegia
Type of the Article	Case Report

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PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
Compulsory REVISION comments		
Minor REVISION comments	Explanation is needed for not starting long-term oral antiviral prophylaxis to prevent recurrences. Explanation is needed for not using oral steroids for treating stromal keratitis and/or keratouveitis attacks. Explanation is needed to clarify the reasons for progressive disc changes.	Reviewer: Explanation is needed for not starting long-term oral antiviral prophylaxis to prevent recurrences. Comment: Anti-viral prophylaxis was discussed with the patient at an earlier setting. The patient was not very keen for continuing medication on a long term basis, even though the risk of recurrence was explained to him. We started the Tab Aciclovir only at 19th month of presentation. This has been added in the discussion and also in Table 1, Reviewer: Explanation is needed for not using oral steroids for treating stromal keratitis and/or keratouveitis attacks. Comment: Oral steroids were not considered in the management of stromal keratitis/keratouveitis as most of the episodes of recurrence resolved/ responded with topical medication. Since it was unilateral presentation, there was no requirement for a steroid. This has been added in the discussion, Reviewer: Explanation is needed to clarify the reasons for progressive disc changes. Comment: The progressive disc changes were as a result of raised intraocular pressure secondary



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		to either the uveitis or long term steroid use.
<u>Optional/General</u> comments		