It is our pleasure to present to you the second issue of the case report supplement for the Sri Lanka Journal of surgery.

Yet again we are impressed by the manuscripts that have been submitted for our perusal. They provide a colourful, interesting as well as an educational glance into surgery.

The reports also emphasizes that in surgery we should always expect the unexpected and that the safest way to avoid problems is by understanding normal anatomy well and by always adhering to basic surgical principles.

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