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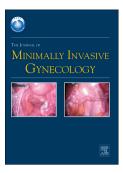
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Case

A 44-year-old woman without prior surgeries presented with chronic pelvic pain. CT scan demonstrated a uterine fundal cystic lesion. At laparoscopy, a leiomyomatous-like lesion, distinct from the uterus and arising from the round ligament, was excised (Fig. 1). Pathology revealed endometriosis (Fig. 2).

Laparoscopy with histological confirmation remains the gold standard for the diagnosis of endometriosis. Endometriosis exists in varied appearances and histologic types, theoretically

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