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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers:

1 Format has been updated.

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer:

(1) Definitions of heavy drinking, alcohol abuse, and alcoholism are given. Differences between the effects of moderate alcohol consumption and heavy drinking are discussed. Vitamin D metabolism in other chronic liver disease is described (primary biliary cirrhosis). Some studies are mentioned which describe the effects of alcohol abstinence. A conclusion was added.

(2) A chapter on liver cirrhosis and chronic pancreatitis was added. Line 115 was corrected.

(3) The effect on bone marrow is discussed.

3 References and typesetting were corrected.

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Hepatology*

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