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**Dear Editor,**

Please find enclosed the edited and revised manuscript in Word format (file name: 16076 – edited and revised).

**Title:** Iron Deficiency Anemia in Celiac Disease

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The manuscript has been improved according to suggestions of reviewers (and all changes noted in yellow):

1. Format updated, including lengthening of abstract, core tip and conflict of interest declaration.
2. Revisions made according to suggestions of reviewers, along with addition of new references.
  - (1) epidemiology of celiac disease and iron deficiency with 3 added references;
  - (2) hemolytic anemia with 2 added references;
  - (3) other causes, including gastritis, with 2 added references.
3. References and typesetting corrected.
4. PDFs for conflict of interest declaration and copyright attached.

Thank you again for publishing this manuscript in *World Journal of Gastroenterology*.

Sincerely,

Dr. Hugh Freeman