

Format for ANSWERING REVIEWERS

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Dear Editor,



Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 19758-Review.doc).

Title: Dietary supplements and pediatric non-alcoholic fatty liver disease: Present and the future

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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

Reviewer #1: 1. The articles are current and relevant, however I think the authors did not explore data on the food intake of the population studied. The construction of a table and a description of the methodology could also be added to the paper.

Response: We agree with reviewer in this point but in literature review we did not find data on the food intake of the population. Description of the methodology added to the article in the page5 line 3. We didn't included information in extra table for avoiding from duplication. This information exited in the text.

Reviewer #2: 1. The manuscript is interesting and gives us useful information regarding the therapy of NAFLD. However, the authors should add more data about the NAFLD in the pediatric population, as well as more extensively explained recent data regarding the dietary supplements in pediatric Non-alcoholic fatty liver disease:. The strength of the study is good. The English is good. I recommend acceptance of this manuscript after the improvement of manuscript.

Response: Although literature review Process was completed, but we added more data in page 6, line 23. Page 7, line 8. Page 7, line 16.

Reviewer #3: 1. The manuscript M. Rahimlou et al. entitled "Dietary supplements and pediatric

non-alcoholic fatty liver disease: present and the future" gives common view about nonalcoholic fatty liver disease in children and its treatment by dietary supplements. The review is well written. It is desirable to add a description of clinical and laboratory data of non-alcoholic fatty liver disease and their characteristics in children. In the manuscript there are minor inaccuracies: in the sentence "Insulin resistance and oxidative stress are involved in the pathogenesis of NAFLD", more correct to speak about "oxidative distress". "Stress" according to the definition of H. Selye is the "reaction of adaptation". With the development of the pathological process occurs "distress" - the "disease of reaction adaptation"

Response: This change was applied in page4, line10.

Reviewer #3: 2: Entirely correct to speak "Hepatic fat derivatives such as malondialdehyde (MDA) can increase inflammation....

Response. This sentence corrected in page 5 line 7.

Reviewer #3: 3. "Authors need to make changes in the list of references in accordance with the rules WJG: to remove "et al." and to add all authors

Response: This change was applied in references

3 References and typesetting were corrected

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

Sincerely yours,

Azita Hekmatdoost