

Answer to reviewers

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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (ESPS Manuscript NO: 20074).



Title: Thrombus aspiration during primary percutaneous coronary intervention for acute myocardial infarction; a review of clinical evidence and guidelines

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers and we highlighted the changes made to the manuscript according to the peer-reviewers' comments as requested. In particular following changes have been made;

1. Provision of information regarding the authors including the individual authors' contribution and contact details.
2. Provision of Audio core tip.
3. Provision of copyright assignment, google scholar submission and the article.
4. We have re-arranged the text as suggested by the reviewer in RCT, observational studies, meta-analyses and guidelines.
5. We have further added one RCT (INFUSE-AMI), a large observational study and 2 meta-analyses keeping in the view the reviewer's comments.
6. We have updated the references with provision of DOI and PMID for all journal articles as advised by the editor.
7. Also in keeping with the journal format the reference citation format has been changed.
8. One of the senior authors is a native English speaker and he has reviewed the content accordingly.