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Gastric adenocarcinoma of fundic gland type: Endoscopic and clinicopathological features

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Comments:

Reviewer (ID: 00069461): In the present study, they discuss four cases of gastric adenocarcinoma of fundic gland (GA-FG) type that displayed low grade malignancy, slow-growth and less aggressive clinical behavior. This adenocarcinoma has been recently reported as a new variant of gastric adenocarcinoma. There is little information about GA-FG. Four patients were diagnosed with GA-FG. After a preoperative diagnosis of early stage GA-FG, endoscopic submucosal dissection was performed. The clinicopathologic findings of GA-FG are summarized in the this study. The manuscript presented this very well structured and drafted.

Reviewer (ID: 01799104): Gastric adenocarcinoma of fundic gland type is a novel diagnostic entity with getting more reported cases worldwide. Though your series have similar pictures and discussions in one report from sister journal [World J Gastroenterol 2015; 21(26): 8208-8214], I think it is worthwhile for the readers because of its rarity or being less noticed.

Response to reviewers:

I checked the manuscript file edited by the editor (21786-edited) and ESPS PEER-REVIEW REPORT (Manuscript_Review_Report_21786_20150919144022). In these files, there are no reviewer's comments which require any revisions for authors. Thanks for the comments of reviewers.

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