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Dear Editor,

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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) We described in the introduction how the indications for resectability of colorectal liver metastases (CLM) have changed over time.

(2) We also have pointed attention on prognostic models, adding the Nordlinger model to our discussion.

(3) In the chapter on neo-adjuvant chemotherapy we did a reference to cost-effectiveness aspects of this treatment.

(4) In the discussion of complete response to neo-adjuvant chemotherapy, we make a reference to the work of Adams and colleagues.

(5) Finally, in the "Conclusion" we suggested a close follow-up schedule for patients who underwent CLM resection.

3 References and typesetting were corrected

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

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