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Dear Editor,



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Title: Lactic acidosis during telbivudine treatment for HBV: case report and literature review

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1 The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of editor:

- (1) Title has been shortened to 12 words
- (2) Author contributions have been updated.
- (3) Abstract has been revised to an unstructured abstract of no less than 200 words
- (4) An core tip less than 100 words has been added.
- (5) reference format has been updated to superscript all across the text.
- (6) PubMed citation numbers for the reference list, e.g. PMID and DOI have been added, except for ref 5, without DOI, which can not be found.
- (7) decomposable figure of Figures have been supplied in a separate WORD file.

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer

- (1) only the word "nucleoside" used all across the text, all "nucleos(t)ide" have been changed to "nucleoside".
- (2) Page 2 line 41. "momotherapy" has been changed to "monotherapy"
- (3) Page 4 line 100. "lactic acidosis" has been changed to "hyperlactatemia"
- (4) Page 6 line 151. "a low dose" has been omitted.
- (5) Page 8 line 206. The 2 words nucleoside and analogues have been separated
- (6) Table 1. The abbreviation "LDI" has been defined.

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

Sincerely yours,

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