

## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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### COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The article addresses the important topic of iron deficiency and IDA in patients with IBD. The registries for collection of patient iron parameters in Europe are addressed. Comments 1. Digital solutions are innovative key technologies to solve the problem of data sampling and providing. This point should be more addressed and a process for the registries should be suggested.

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The authors have evidenced an important niche in IBD. Iron deficiency without anemia and iron deficiency anemia are common and frequently overlooked complications of IBD. Patients affected by IBD may present with both Fe-deficient anemia and Fe-deficiency without anemia. It would be marvelous to have a registry to rely on this feature. Despite the frequency and impact of iron deficiency in inflammatory bowel disease, there are gaps in our understanding about its incidence, prevalence and natural history of Fe-deficiency in IBD. Yes, I fully agree with the authors that this objective could be achieved through collection of specific laboratory, clinical and patient-reported measurements and this data being incorporated into existing registries. This review describes the status of current European inflammatory bowel disease registries and the data they generate.

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very interesting and well documented