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## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Duplicate publication	<input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
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### COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

A very nice review.



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The authors reviewed the established and the novel pathophysiological mechanisms leading to constrictive pericarditis. The paper is well written and the concepts clearly described. I have only minor issues to be addressed by the authors: - Delete "in developing countries" on page 10, paragraph 2, lines 3-4 as it is repeated twice in the same sentence. - Correct "pregression" on page 14, line 3. - Correct "of the fibrotic response and it act(s) via canonical..." on Page 14, paragraph 2, line 11. - Correct "their exact roles is (are) as yet..." on page 15, line 1. - Conclusion: this is a too long paragraph that should be aimed to conclude the paper in a summarized paragraph. - Correct: "reason" on page 19, paragraph 3, line 5.