



PEER-REVIEW REPORT

Name of journal: World Journal of Gastroenterology

Manuscript NO: 42953

Title: Hepatitis C: From inflammatory pathogenesis to anti-inflammatory/hepatoprotective therapy

Reviewer's code: 03646989

Reviewer's country: Finland

Science editor: Ruo-Yu Ma

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Date reviewed: 2018-11-04

Review time: 16 Days

Table with 4 columns: SCIENTIFIC QUALITY, LANGUAGE QUALITY, CONCLUSION, PEER-REVIEWER STATEMENTS. It contains checkboxes for various quality grades (A-E), conclusion types (Accept, Minor revision, Major revision, Rejection), and reviewer statements regarding expertise and conflicts of interest.

SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

I read with interest the article entitled "Hepatitis C: from inflammatory pathogenesis to anti-inflammatory/hepatoprotective therapy" by Hu Li et al. The Review was aimed at reporting the pathogenesis of inflammation related to HCV and the potential role of new



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anti-inflammatory drugs in reducing this inflammation, improving the natural history of HCV-hepatitis. The Review is well-written and it gives a good overview of the pathogenetic mechanisms involved in inflammation and the role of these drugs. The literature was reviewed extensively and appropriately.

INITIAL REVIEW OF THE MANUSCRIPT

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SCIENTIFIC QUALITY	LANGUAGE QUALITY	CONCLUSION	PEER-REVIEWER STATEMENTS
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept	Peer-Review:
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language	(High priority)	<input type="checkbox"/> Anonymous
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good	polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept	<input type="checkbox"/> Onymous
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of	(General priority)	Peer-reviewer’s expertise on the
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Do not	language polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Minor revision	topic of the manuscript:
publish	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection	<input type="checkbox"/> Major revision	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced
		<input type="checkbox"/> Rejection	<input type="checkbox"/> General
			<input type="checkbox"/> No expertise
			Conflicts-of-Interest:
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
			<input type="checkbox"/> No

SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

To: Editorial Board World Journal of Gastroenterology Title: “Hepatitis C: from inflammatory pathogenesis to anti-inflammatory/hepatoprotective therapy”. Dear Editor, I read this manuscript and I think that the paper is good and well written.



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