

PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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Reviewer's country: China

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<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

This systematic review provided comprehensive overview of the prevention strategy for post ERCP pancreatitis. however, since this is a systematic review and there are numerous studies being identified in the literature, which is sufficient for meta-analysis. for example, there are multiple studies on the use of indomethacin for prevention; why



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not perform meta-analysis to get a pooled effect? also through quantitative analysis, the publication bias and heterogeneity can be quantitatively analyzed; and the result can also provide precision of the estimates. such a result will give rise to the assessment of the quality of the evidence. In the GRADE framework, heterogeneity, imprecision, and risk of bias are all factors that can affect the quality of evidence. For a systematic review aiming to provide recommendations, the quality of evidence should be carefully assessed. Current study is more like a narrative review without transparent analysis of the available evidence.

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Please control the english spelling. It is a long paper with many data, not always completely clear: they could be summarized, mainly in the part concerning pharmacological prevention. Similarly , the actual more evident prophylactic and therapeutic measures can be underlined.



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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

An interesting review

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This systematic review is well-organized, informative and updated. However, some minor points should be addressed. For example, using "immunity against" in "On the contrary, PEP is less likely to occur in patients with chronic pancreatitis indicating some immunity against PEP, probably because of atrophy and decreased enzymatic activity"



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(In the section of Assessment of Patient Related Factors) is misleading. It would be better to say that "On the contrary, PEP is less likely to occur in patients with chronic pancreatitis indicating a partial loss of sensitivity to PEP stimulation, probably because of atrophy and decreased enzymatic activity".

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