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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Interesting case report. Couple of issues. 1. more detail is needed regarding the PTC technique. The concern is that the PTC may have damaged the diaphragm resulting in the leakage of bile into the pleural space and development of the fistula. This may seem more likely than a simple leak from the PTC site then leading to the erosion into the



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