

## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language	(High priority)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anonymous
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			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
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## SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The Review entitled "Diet and functional dyspepsia: clinical correlates and therapeutic perspectives" provides a brief overview of the unsatisfactory status of the diet recommendations for FD patients. Authors illustrated briefly the pathophysiological mechanisms of diet involvement in the development-alleviation of the symptoms of FD patients and they acknowledged the difficulties for the development of dietary guidelines in this heterogeneous group of subjects. Main concerns 1. Please give us a flow diagram of the literature review 2. According to ROME IV, FD has sub-types that probable they are differently affected by diet and diet restrictions. Please stratify your text according to this classification wherever possible and revise table 1 accordingly. 3. Present in a tabulated manner the evidence of dietary intervention at least for the high quality studies (RCTs) . Give reference, dates, number of subjects enrolled in the study arms, FD classification, intervention, outcomes and outcomes measurements results. 4. Please comment of the pros and cons of the aforementioned studies and provide a road map for the potential "perfect study" to evaluate dietary manipulation effect in FD. Minor 1. Are there any royalties for figure 1?

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This manuscript provide an overview of the evidence-based nutritional approach for the FD patients, providing clinicians with a valuable tool in standardizing nutritional advises for FD Patients. The concept of the manuscript is new, the quality of the manuscript is high.

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