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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

Summary: This a case series of 3 cases of severe Covid-19 infection in patients who had undergone liver transplant surgery. They have reported 3 such cases at their hospital out of which 1 survived. They have addressed an important issue about nosocomial nature of the infection where it had spread in their liver transplant ward. 1. Introduction has been written well. It mentions the scenario related to Covid-19 and transplant case numbers at the time of writing the case report. They also state that their objective was to communicate their experiences. 2. Case presentations have been written very well in short and crisp manner. 3. Discussion part though a bit lengthy is written well and the authors cover all points relevant to their case report. A very important point is made regarding how the Hospital precautionary measures are focused on preventing infection from patient to the healthcare workers. And additional measures are needed especially in transplant patients to prevent nosocomial infection. 4. Conclusion is adequately written 5. Figures and Tables: Very innovatively presented. They are informative as well as easy to understand.