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This is a minireview regarding diabetes and interstitial lung disease (ILD) with special emphasis on IPF. The review is concisely written and easy to follow. The topic is timely and clinically of interest. 1. Therapeutic strategy is of great interest. Effects of not only metformin, but also other anti-diabetic medications as well as lifestyle modification on ILD should be more precisely described. 2. The authors also should discuss effects of strict glycemic control on development and/or progression of ILD. 3. On the other hand, the association of DPP-4 inhibitors with ILD has been reported. This point also included and discussed.

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