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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Congratulations on the work made. Title: suitable. The authors studied more than just hypertension. So, why not change the title to "Impact of the intragastric balloon on comorbidities in obesity patients: A retrospective study in Eastern North Carolina." Abstract: suitable Introduction: It's missing the word "introduction" to mark the beginning of this section. Be more evident in this section about your objectives and the GAP of knowledge of this study. Methods: It's missing the procedure description: how many milliliters to fill the balloon? Complications regarding balloon use? Complications regarding the placement or balloon removal? How was the material used and the technique? Results: Use %TBWL to show the balloon results. Add some graphics and images. Discussion: suitable Conclusion: suitable