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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This is a great observation that this study concluded. It pinpoint the importance of autoimmune/allergic/toxic/inflammatory process in NASH pathophysiology. The researchers should include the the BMI in table one and the existence of other chronic disease manly DM or HTN. Also, it would be great if by any chance they can look into LPS, TNF-alpha or IL-6 levels in these patients. Overall, unique and novel and brave study. I congrats them.