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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Now when effective antiviral treatment is available, the focus is mainly on achievement of possible HCV elimination, and less attention is given to the patients with advanced liver disease and cirrhosis who achieved SVR. In this well written review, the authors are describing factors associated with HCC risk in patient with HCV, discuss the current evidence to recommend surveillance and propose recommendations how it can be improved. As such, this manuscript could be of the certain value for the current clinical practice.