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## **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

The authors have done an excellent and exhaustive review on the endoscopic antireflux therapy. The endoscopic modalities have been well described and supported by robust evidences available in the literature. Although the scope of such endoscopic approaches are limited while treating gastro esophageal reflux disease [ GERD]; especially in the era of PPIs; yet the authors have well illustrated the special situations where such therapies can be tried. Careful patient selection and awareness of the advantages and disadvantages of each endoscopic technique are essential to optimize outcomes. The future directions have also been described the authors. My suggestions on two aspects:

1. Can the authors describe the learning curve of the endoscopist for each of the procedures and what are the financial implications, when compared to the surgical alternatives.
2. Is there a role of artificial intelligence in the future ?