

## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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Scientific quality	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Do not publish
Language quality	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection
Conclusion	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept (High priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Accept (General priority) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Minor revision <input type="checkbox"/> Major revision <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
Re-review	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

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### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

Xiao Cui et al. reviewed surgical indication, peri-transplantation anti-tumor and anti-immunity therapy and updated advancement in liver transplantation for patients with unresectable colorectal cancer liver metastasis. This review is meaningful in clinic.

1. The new colorectal cancer cases and related death in 2020 has been released recently (PMID: 33538338, PMID: 34243011), please use the new statistics. 2. Some of the abbreviations in the tables should be clarified. 3. The correspondence author's Email address seems not from the correspondence author, please confirm it. 4. There are some spelling and grammatical errors, the author should check it carefully.

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This is a well-written and well organized paper. As the authors mentioned, this study was carried out to review of indication criteria, peri-transplantation anti-tumor and anti-immunity strategy in LT for unresectable CRLM. With the several prospective and multicenter studies are still underway and awaiting results, this paper described and reviewed the current situation of LT for unresectable CRLM I am expecting this article is helpful to suggest treatment strategy of LT for unresectable CRLM and I am looking forward to the results of the prospective multicenter studies. I would recommend acceptance for publication as submitted Thank you