

Dear editor,

Thank you very much for all the valuable comments for us to make the manuscript better. It is a great honor for us to have the opportunity to share our idea in this journal. We have tried our best to make the point-to-point reply and revision based on the reviewers' valuable comments. However, it is a little hard to make more revision, as we cannot find related studies. And if there is any problem, please do not hesitate to contact us.

REVIEWER

1. Gastric cancer is more prevalent in Japan, why you did not discuss the Japanese guidelines.

We totally agree with you. As the Japanese guideline is mainly on gastric cancer treatment, we discuss the prevention or screening of Asia guidelines (including Japan, Korea and China).

2. Is there a feasible test to know if there will be a recurrence after EMR and ESD.

It is interesting. We take IM as an example. Theoretically, if the IM is removed by EMR, it may be supplied by the gastric stem cells in adjacent gastric glands, replaced by the fibrosis, or replaced by metaplasia again from the adjacent atrophic glands. Therefore, guidelines recommend that eradication of HP, removal stimuli, and endoscopic surveillance for precancerous lesions, if there are no neoplasms.

3. As regards figure 1, please add annotation, magnifications and scale bar.

Thank you for the suggestion. We draw figure 1 to make the review reader friendly. However, it is hard to add scale bar, as there are too many gastric units more than 3 million gastric pits.

4. Karam et al(reference) is repeated many times

Thank you for the suggestion. we have deleted one reference from *Karam*, although we do not know this researcher.

5. Language and grammar need polishing, uploaded file with some corrections are uploaded

Thank you so much for the suggestion.

We can not find the unloaded file. But as you kindly recommend, we have maken some corrections.