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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

I read this study with interest. In this study, the authors screened the factors that affect the prognosis of hepatocellular carcinoma and establish a nomogram model that predicts postoperative liver failure after hepatic resection in patients with hepatocellular carcinoma. The study is well performed and the findings are very interesting. I recommend to accept this manuscript after a minor revision. Minor comments: 1. The authors must edit the manuscript carefully according to the journal's guideline. 2. Please double check the data in the tables. 3. Please update the references list by PMID and Doi numbers.