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Author's country: Mexico

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<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language	(High priority)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anonymous
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good	polishing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accept	<input type="checkbox"/> Onymous
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This is a Comprehensive review of sarcopenia in colorectal cancer. the manuscript is well-written and interesting for the Readers.

INITIAL REVIEW OF THE MANUSCRIPT

Google Search:

- ☐ The same title
- ☐ Duplicate publication
- ☐ Plagiarism
- ☐ No

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Although on the basis of the title the manuscript of Vergara-Fernandez should be focused on the role of sarcopenia in colorectal cancer, the presence of a large dissertation on definitions (from half of the introduction to the following two chapters) make the study repetitive and tutorial. The title should be changed, specifying that the manuscript addresses a review of the literature on the issue of CRC and sarcopenia. If the intent of the manuscript is clinical, in addition to the literature search on the effect on short and long term outcomes, the trials on the possible treatments deserve more attention. There is no mention on how evaluate nutritional requirements, needs and effects.

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This is an interesting manuscript reviewing the associations between sarcopenia and colorectal cancer outcomes. A detail analysis was given in the manuscript. The differential diagnosis between primary sarcopenia and secondary sarcopenia was suggested.

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