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Dear editor,

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Title: Robotic resection of duodenal gastrointestinal stromal tumour: preliminary experience from a single centre

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First of all, thank you for your careful guidance of this article. Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer:

Reviewer: 01750931

In this study, the authors analysed the effect of robotic resection and open surgery in the treatment of duodenal gastrointestinal stromal tumours. This study is very interesting and provided a well surgery method for duodenal gastrointestinal stromal tumours. Well done.

Reviewer: 02855471

The resection methods of duodenal gastrointestinal stromal tumours include limited resection and pancreatoduodenectomy, which should be determined according to the location of the tumour, the relationship between the tumour and the duodenal papilla, and whether the tumour invades the surrounding tissues. Laparoscopic and robotic resection should be performed according to the location and size of the tumour. In this study, Zhipeng et al analysed the effect of robotic resection and open surgery in the treatment of duodenal gastrointestinal stromal tumours. This study is designed well, and it can provide a reference for scientific and reasonable selection of surgical treatment for duodenal gastrointestinal stromal tumours. The methods are described in detail, and the interesting are very interesting. The selection of the patients is reasonable, and the surgical progress is successful. The results are discussed

well, and also the limits of the study are listed and discussed. However, a conclusion is missing in the main text. In my opinion, this study can be accepted for publication after a minor language revision.

Thank you for your advice.

After receiving the comments, we read the article carefully and found some small loopholes in the language of the article and made modifications. I added a conclusion section to the main text.

According to the suggestion, we changed the relevant description.

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the World Journal of Gastrointestinal Oncology.

Sincerely Yours,

Cheng-Gang Li