

Dear Editors, dear reviewers

Many thanks for your suggestions.

Our intent is to stimulate readers to learn more about the recent cooperation techniques between endoscopy and surgery for the treatment of gastric tumors.

We have extended the explanation of the LECS and modified approaches in the text.

We do not believe that these approaches are superior to ESD but as mentioned before we want to stimulate readers and open new ideas for studies on endoscopic and laparoscopic endoscopic cooperative approaches to gastric tumors with the possible help of the sentinel node (SN) navigation surgery.

Best regards

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