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Thank you so much for your comments/suggestions. I really appreciate all the hard work you have done to help me. I have already corrected and edited my manuscript as your suggestion. The details included:

- 1. The title is too long, and it should be no more than 18 words.
 - I have changed the title as criteria.
- 2. Authors are required to provide standard three-line tables, that is, only the top line, bottom line, and column line are displayed, while other table lines are hidden. The contents of each cell in the table should conform to the editing specifications, and the lines of each row or column of the table should be aligned. Do not use carriage returns or spaces to replace lines or vertical lines and do not segment cell content.
 - I have changed tables as criteria.
- 3. The "Article Highlights" section is missing. Please add the "Article Highlights" section at the end of the main text (and directly before the References).
 - I have added the "Article Highlights" section.
- 4. Please revise the references according to the Format for References Guidelines.
 - I have edited the references.
- 5. As a retrospective study, this paper should include a flow chart to explain how the patients enrolled.
 - I have added a flow chart.
- 6. In the METHODS, the inclusion and exclusion criteria should be described.

 The methods of data collection and data analysis should also be described in the METHODS part.
 - I have described the inclusion and exclusion criteria in the METHODS part.

Best regards,

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