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Dear Editor,

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We thank the reviewers for their kind remarks. The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of the reviewers in the following points:

Reviewer 1:

1. We added pictures of DBE-examinations according to the reviewers remark.
2. It was suggested that other inflammatory bowel diseases like drug-induced bowel injury should be added to the text. In the literature almost all studies with drug-induced bowel injury were conducted with capsule endoscopy. Therefore it would go beyond the scope of our review to add this specific point.
3. The algorithm of bleeding is recommendation of our group so there is no other reference. We added this to the text.
4. We corrected the mentioned sentence in the bleeding-section according to the reviewers annotation.

Reviewer 2:

1. We added some annotations in the mentioned sections to clarify the statements of the discussed studies and tried to generalize some points.
2. We adhere to the minor comments of the reviewer and apologize for his help.

Reviewer 3:

1. We thank the reviewer for his kind comments on our article. We added the data of the complications in a additional table.
2. We corrected the references according to the WJG-standard.

Reviewer 4:

1. We changed the title of our review.
2. We added the new DBE device in the text and in table 1
3. We added a sentence about the improvement of the insertion depth by using carbon dioxide insufflation.

Reviewer 5:

1. We changed the word "endoscopy" in the first sentence.
2. We added an amendment on section 3.1 to clarify the 60-97% mentioned in the first sentence.
3. We added the recommended passage in section 3.1 to clarify the use of capsuel endoscopy findings in choosing the route for DBE
4. The annotation about the higher number of small bowel tumors in asian series was included in the text.
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