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Dear Editor,



Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: Jiang manuscript-14970.docx).

Title: Liver Transplantation for a Giant Mesenchymal Hamartoma of Liver in an Adult: Case Report and Review of the Literature

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers:

1 Format has been updated

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer

(1) We supplement sufficient histological evidence for diagnosis of mesenchymal hamartoma of liver (**Page 10, paragraph 1**).

(2) We have changed histological photographs in Fig 4 to more clear photographs at high magnification($\times 100$).

(3) According to reviewer's suggestion, we added a table of the literatures which indicate the previous cases at the end of text.

(4) We have changed "a-fetoprotein" to " α -fetoprotein" in **page 8 paragraph 2 line 12**.

(5) In the discussion of paper, we provided profile of mesenchymal hamartoma of adult, and compared characteristics of this disease in adult with infant.

(6) From figure 1, the diagnosis indeed looks like polycystic liver and that's why we initially misdiagnosed this disease as polycystic liver, however, pathological result confirmed the diagnosis of MHL.

(7) According to reviewer's suggestion, we have shortened the description of the operative procedure of the liver Tx (**page 8, paragraph 2**).

3 References and typesetting were corrected

4 We have asked Dr David K. C. Cooper who works in medical center in University of Pittsburgh to modify grammar and wording of the article, we believe that the language should be able to achieve the requirements of your magazine.

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Gastroenterology*.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lijiang', written in a cursive style.

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