

REVIEW

Review of "Vascular complications following liver transplantation" for possible publication
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Comments:

In this review article, the authors describe the various vascular complications of orthotopic liver transplantation. The article describes the role of imaging and image-guided intervention in the management of these complications. It is a very well written and comprehensive review article here are my comments.

General comments

1. The manuscript has several grammatical errors and spelling mistakes. The manuscript needs revision preferably by an author with English as native language to address these errors.

Author's reply: The overall manuscript has undergone proofreading by a native English speaker.

Specific Comments:

I. Abstract.

2. OK.

II. Introduction

3. The introduction needs better organization since in the current format it seems to be mixture of facts. I would recommend the authors to organize the introduction as follows
- vascular complications incidence, impact on OLT survival, value of early detection, role of imaging in management, management options for vascular complications, surgical role and role of interventional radiology. Though the current introduction does discuss all these points, the flow of thoughts is not coherent.

Author's reply: Would you mind being more precise, because it seems to us that introduction is written according to your recommendation.

III. Main manuscript

4. Too long. I would suggest the authors to make the description more concise. In the current form the article reads more like a textbook chapter rather than a review article.

Author's reply: we agree with your comment and we made every effort for reducing our manuscript. However, we tried to write a comprehensive and complete review on the subject, which covers a very large field. It is therefore very difficult to shortening the manuscript without changes in the reasoning and the content of it. Second, as supplied in the editor invitation, we do not have word limitation for this review. So we would like to keep the integrity of our manuscript in accordance to authors guidelines of the journal.

V. References

5. OK

VI. Tables and Figures

6. Figure 2 and 4. Please include if possible figures after endovascular intervention.

Author's reply: As you requested, a new figure showing percutaneous intervention of HAS was added.