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Dear Editor,

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Title: Endoscopic transgastric drainage of a gastric wall abscess after endoscopic submucosal dissection.

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

1 Format has been updated

The title was changed that Endoscopic transgastric drainage of a gastric wall abscess after endoscopic submucosal dissection by copyediting service of American Journal Experts.

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

(1) We described the frequency of it referred to previous large scale studies about gastric ESD as following.

One study reported that such perforations occurred in 6 (0.5%) out of 1159 consecutive patients with 1329 EGCs who underwent ESD[2]. Another report indicated two cases (0.43%) of delayed perforation occurring after the completion of ESD for 468 gastric noninvasive gastric neoplasias including EGCs and gastric adenomas[3].

(2) We described the reason of the absence of urgent endoscopy as following.

Because the CT revealed a small amount of free air and ascites, we expected the delayed perforation to be very small, and we did not perform emergency endoscopy.

(3) We described the details about inserting endoscopic stent to the scar due to ESD as following.

As before, an ERCP catheter (MTW Endoskopie, Wesel, Germany) was inserted through the fistula into the abscess.

(4) In Figure 3B, we change figures to color ones and we added endoscopic figures after inserting endoscopic catheter to Figure 3C.

(5) We add in the references the following paper: J Clin Ultrasound. 2012 Feb;40(2):105-8. doi: 10.1002/jcu.20780. Epub 2010 Dec 28. Endoscopic sonography in the diagnosis and treatment of a gastric wallabscess: a case report and review of the literature. Yang CW, Yen HH.

3 References and typesetting were corrected

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

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