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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This manuscript is an interesting about the incidents and adverse events of endoscopic ultrasound-guided fine-needle aspiration for pancreatic cystic lesions. In this study, the authors evaluated the diagnostic value and safety mainly about incidents of endoscopic ultrasound-guided fine-needle aspiration for pancreatic cystic lesions. About 150 consecutive patients suspected of pancreatic cystic lesions were prospectively enrolled in this study. There were 67 cysts located in the head/uncinate of the pancreas and 67 in the body/tail, and six patients had at least one cyst in the pancreas. The authors found that the endoscopic ultrasound-guided fine-needle aspiration is effective and safe for diagnosis of pancreatic cystic lesions, however procedure-related incidents are common. Caution should be taken in patients undergoing ultrasound-guided fine-needle aspiration. Overall, this sutudy is well designed and the manuscript is well written. However, some minor revisions have to be made before final publication. 1 Are there any figures of endoscopic ultrasound-guided fine-needle aspiration? If the authors can



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provide some figures, it will be better for understanding the study. 2 Results are interesting. The references should be updated. 3 The authors should take attention of the data in the tables. 4 Some minor language polishing should be revised.

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Very interesting study. After some minor language revision, it can be published in the journal.