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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

It is a well written review concerning the use of biosimilars in paediatric patients with inflammatory bowel disease. The text contains a large deal of the necessary information regarding the use of biosimilars also in adult patients with IBD. I suggest the authors to include a table containing the results of all the available studies in



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paediatric population with IBD and also a table containing all the biosimilars available today in the world. The authors could consult the recently published review by Rawla et al, concerning the use of biosimilars in adults. (Rawla P, Sunkara T, Raj JP. Role of biologics and biosimilars in inflammatory bowel disease: current trends and future perspectives. J Inflamm Res. 2018;11:215-226. doi: 10.2147/JIR.S165330. eCollection 2018.)

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