

To
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Dear Editor,

I thank you and the reviewers very much for reviewing the above manuscript.

We have carefully gone through the editors and peer reviewers recommendations and suggestions and made changes to the manuscript as appropriate.

The changes are made in the red color fonts.

The following are our responses to the individual reviewers.

1. Reviewer 03270441 suggested clerical errors. The manuscript was checked for grammatical and language errors and are rectified. The changes made are in red font.
2. Reviewer 03004570 suggested changes to be made to reword glycemic control and CD 4 counts. They have been changed.
3. Reviewer 00183086 suggested changes to the introduction section and adding an aim for the study which has been done. Also the discussion section was modified with addition of newer modalities in diagnosis; MRI, EUS, and also section on newer targeted therapies, recent updates on references have been included.
4. Reviewer 03551817 had no recommendations.
5. Reviewer 03731607 recommended the role of other targeted therapies, role of MRI, EUS, PET CT SUV max, role of radiation and current status on HIV patients. These points are included in detail in discussions, newer references are added. Although the targeted therapy appeared promising initially, EGFR inhibitors failed to provide any survival benefits and with increased toxicities. Currently role of immune check point inhibitors are underway and results are awaited. Mutation studies in anal cancer are discussed and new references are added. All modified in red color fonts.

Further the science editor had recommendations on the overall manuscript, references. They have been rectified, pub med ID and DOI where known are added to the reference sections.

We thank everyone for thoughtful suggestions and hope we have been able to answer those queries. Please let us know if any further details are missing and needs rectification.

Sincerely yours

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