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### COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The authors studied Helicobacter pylori isolates among children in Turkey for virulence genotypes. They found that vacAs1m2 genotype was significantly associated with antral nodularity. The authors should define how antral nodularity was diagnosed accurately and its clinical significance. The statistical method used in their study should be clarified.



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It is a useful paper on a topic regarding which there is as yet little information from the Courtney. It will certainly add to knowledge on the issue



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### COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

COMMENTS TO AUTHORS: In this manuscript, the authors described the prevalence of Helicobacter pylori virulence genotypes among children in eastern Turkey. Comment 1) The aim of this study is not clear. Since every research is performed in order to improve human health, the aim of the study should be clearly stated. By clarifying the prevalence of Helicobacter pylori virulence genotypes among children in eastern Turkey, what kind of good things Reader can get? Please specifically describe the aim of this study. 2) Please describe the clinical appreciation of the result in this study.