

## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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### SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

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Authors reported a retrospective review of patients who underwent operative repair of CCDO or ICDO in his tertiary care institution during 13 years. The demographics, clinical presentation, preoperative diagnostics and postoperative outcomes of 50 patients



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were compared between CCDO (N=27; atresia type 1-3, annular pancreas) and ICDO (N=23; annular pancreas, web, Ladd's bands). STATUS: ACCETTABLE FOR PUBBLICATION PENDING MINOR REVISIONS General considerations: This is an original article. The work is interesting and the paper is very well-written. Abstract: the abstract appropriately summarize the manuscript without discrepancies between the abstract and the remainder of the manuscript. Keywords: adequate. Tables: The tables are well made and summarized. Reference: adequate. Paper On some aspects, the authors should address: 1)In the Materials and methods paragraph, your "preoperative diagnostics were plain abdominal X-ray, upper gastrointestinal contrast study and gastroduodenoscopy". Have you considered to use ultrasound as well? If you didn't use it, why? 2) If you can, discuss the role of ultrasound in the diagnosis of duodenal stenosis and hypertrophic pyloric stenosis. Please, do it considering the following articles: -Costa Dias S, Swinson S, Torrrão H, Gonçalves L, Kurochka S, Vaz CP, Mendes V. Hypertrophic pyloric stenosis: tips and tricks for ultrasound diagnosis. Insights Imaging. 2012 Jun;3(3):247-50. doi: 10.1007/s13244-012-0168-x. Epub 2012 May 1. -Brinkley MF, Tracy ET, Maxfield CM. Congenital duodenal obstruction: causes and imaging approach. Pediatr Radiol. 2016 Jul;46(8):1084-95. doi: 10.1007/s00247-016-3603-1. Epub 2016 Jun 20. 3)In the in the text, I think it would be useful a brief discussion also about the eziology of duodenal stenosis or obstruction in the adult. In this setting, you must discuss and cite the following works: -Jayaraman MV, Mayo-Smith WW, Movson JS, Dupuy DE, Wallach MT. CT of the duodenum: an overlooked segment gets its due. Radiographics. 2001 Oct;21 Spec No:S147-60. -Campanile F, Maurea S, Mainenti P, Corvino A, Imbriaco M. Duodenal involvement by breast cancer. Breast J. 2012 Nov-Dec;18(6):615-6. doi: 10.1111/tbj.12034. Epub 2012 Oct 30. -Juanpere S, Valls L, Serra I, Osorio M, Gelabert A, Maroto A, Pedraza S. Imaging of non-neoplastic duodenal diseases. A pictorial review with emphasis on MDCT. Insights Imaging. 2018



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Apr;9(2):121-135. doi: 10.1007/s13244-018-0593-6. Epub 2018 Jan 31. 4)I have not found figures of imaging. If they are not there, you could add them.

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### SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Comment to the Authors To the corresponding author thank you for submitting your manuscript entitled "Outcomes of patients with complete versus incomplete congenital duodenal obstruction undergoing operative repair". It is a well written



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