

PEER-REVIEW REPORT

Name of journal: World Journal of Gastrointestinal Surgery

Manuscript NO: 50069

Title: Colorectal cancer metastases to the thyroid gland: A case report

Reviewer's code: 03408355

Position: Peer Reviewer

Academic degree: MD

Professional title: Doctor

Reviewer's country: China

Author's country: Spain

Reviewer chosen by: Jia-Ping Yan

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Review time: 1 Hour

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<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept	Peer-Review:
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language	(High priority)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anonymous
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good	polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept	<input type="checkbox"/> Onymous
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of	(General priority)	Peer-reviewer's expertise on the
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Do not	language polishing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Minor revision	topic of the manuscript:
publish	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection	<input type="checkbox"/> Major revision	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Advanced
		<input type="checkbox"/> Rejection	<input type="checkbox"/> General
			<input type="checkbox"/> No expertise
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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This paper reported a rare case of colorectal cancer with thyroid gland metastasis. The



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topic was very interesting. The following were some specific comments: 1. The text should be reorganized and the figures should be presented separately. 2. Some language mistakes were found in the paper. Please check and correct them.

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

well written manuscript. i have few suggestions. 1- how is the follow up of patient? 2-



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"thyroid diseases have high comorbidities" (<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijssu.2018.04.037>)
and (<https://doi.org/10.1111/tbj.13174>) I suggest both of these uptodate studies for the
references.

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This paper is clear and interesting. Just need minor revision, especially the language.



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Academic degree: MSc

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Reviewer's country: China

Author's country: Spain

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This study clarified a review of the literature based upon a case report of colorectal



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metastases to the thyroid (CMT), of an uncommon event in clinical practice. The paper offers an interesting analysis. 1. The clinical samples and clinical data should be described more precisely (e.g. the follow-up time or recurrence time etc.). 2. The figure should be marked in the text. Figure legends and note (bar) should be added or describe in more detail. 3. There are many small errors in this manuscript (e.g. references.), the authors should check carefully and correct them. 4. Ethical approval should be mentioned.

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Involved "colorectal metastases to the thyroid gland" in the text, "Cancer" had better



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inserted between colorectal and metastases. Please write abstract in the format of the magazine specification. Please label the picture and mark it in the text. Please provide a PETCT picture. Please provide an IH (Immunohystological) picture of CK20 staining. Tissue section needs to indicate the magnification. Please check in the red part of the text whether there are any spelling mistakes, improper use of words, incomplete expression and so on.

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