

## ANSWERING REVIEWERS

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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format [file name: 5480- Revision plus English editing.docx].

Title: Primary oesophageal sclerosing mucoepidermoid carcinoma with “tissue eosinophilia”

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers:

Reviewer number 01220510

1. Language was edited by English editing company (American Journal Experts [AJE])
2. Typographical errors were corrected.
3. The term eosinophilia was replaced with “tissue eosinophilia” as there is increase in non-blood tissue eosinophils.
4. The cause of tissue eosinophil infiltration was included
5. Correlation with prognosis was added and discussed with extrapolation from other mucoepidermoid tumors with tissue eosinophilia.
6. The histopathological features are presented in a separate panel (Figure 2) and the areas of importance in photomicrographs are marked only with arrows

Reviewer number 00724157

1. A figure showing the intracytoplasmic and luminal mucin stained with mucicarmine should be added.
2. A more detailed discussion for the distinction of MEC from adenosquamous cell carcinoma was added.

3. English language was edited by English editing company (AJE)

#### Further revisions

1. Contact information was added
2. Abstract was made more informative and increased to 150 words
3. A core tip summary was added
4. Additional references were added to accommodate additions suggested by the reviewers
5. PMID and DOI numbers were added to all journal references

All changes are highlighted within the right review margin. All editing to the English Language by the AJE are highlighted in the text in RED and Purple

Thank you again for considering our manuscript for publication in your esteemed World Journal of Gastroenterology.

Yours Sincerely

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