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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This article is about one of new type of surgical methods for gastric cancer. Their outcome is really nice, especially operative time is so short. As authors said, number of lymph nodes is important for oncology, their number is satisfactory. If I have to say, I recommend that learning curve is important information for this article. Also, backgrounds of patients (BMI) are needed. Interestingly enough, detail explanation for SILS+1/L and SILS+1/R is good for some surgeons who are interested in this surgery.