

## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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**Title:** Fatty liver is an independent risk factor for gallbladder polyps

**Reviewer's code:** 03408355

**Position:** Peer Reviewer

**Academic degree:** MD

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**Author's Country/Territory:** South Korea

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<b>Scientific quality</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Do not publish
<b>Language quality</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection
<b>Conclusion</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept (High priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Accept (General priority) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Minor revision <input type="checkbox"/> Major revision <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
<b>Re-review</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Peer-reviewer statements</b>	Peer-Review: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anonymous <input type="checkbox"/> Onymous Conflicts-of-Interest: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

No further comments.

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<b>Language quality</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection
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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

The article investigate the relation between GBPs and fatty liver,visceral fat, or sarcopenia.it is a retrospectively study 1405 patients were included in this study.It gives us a new way to detect the GBPs using ultrasonography.

## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

The authors have been investigated the association between gallbladder polyps (GBPs) and body composition, and abnormal fat distribution, such as fatty liver, visceral fat, or sarcopenia. They have been concluded that fatty liver was found to be closely associated with GBPs irrespective of sarcopenia and visceral obesity. This is a good planned and organized retrospective cross-sectional study which would contribute the literature in that field. I have no any further comments on their presentation.

## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

In this study, the authors investigated whether Fatty liver is an independent risk factor for gallbladder polyps. The results of this study suggest that careful assessment of GBP using abdominal ultrasonography be considered in patients with severe fatty liver. This is a well written paper. However, some issues also existed. In the statistical analysis, what is the significance level of P? Is it set at  $<0.05$ ? Please state it. In the section of "Risk factors for gallbladder polyps", the authors said that "BMI, waist circumference, and visceral obesity were not meaning fully associated with GBP". Here, what do you mean by "meaningfully"? Does it mean significantly? If so, what is the significant P level? Please state it here clearly. Do not use such word as meanfully. This is a scientific article. In Figure 2, please give the full phrases for VFA, SFA, TAMA.



## RE-REVIEW REPORT OF REVISED MANUSCRIPT

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<b>Language quality</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection
<b>Conclusion</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accept (High priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Accept (General priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Minor revision <input type="checkbox"/> Major revision <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
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## SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

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