

## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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

COVID-19 was a pandemic and had a serious health problem. RT-qPCR is the gold standard specific method for the diagnosis of COVID-19, however it can give false-negative results, low detection rates and low sensitivity. In this study, author reviewed radiological examination in diagnosis of COVID-19 and try to summarize the function in COVID-19. It is an interesting and important work. There are some comments to author: 1. The background color of the picture may need to be adjusted: Too dark background color may increase the reading difficulty. 2. References were needed for clinical findings in Table 1. 3. Author discussed the low detection rates and low sensitivity of RT-qPCR, it is better to provide some details data, e.g. "false negative rate" from previous studies. 4. The recommended procedure shown in Figure 1. To date, there were some guidelines about application of imaging in COVID-19 diagnosis, author could review these different guidelines and compare the difference about screening process for COVID-19.

## RE-REVIEW REPORT OF REVISED MANUSCRIPT

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Thank you for your careful consideration of comments, you have responded all



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comments, I have no further comments. It is a nice work.