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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

In the clinical study the interesting impact of positive airway pressure therapy for NAFLD in patients with obstructive sleep apnea is addressed. The authors conclude that improvement of NAFLD is possible. Comments 1. NAFLD is frequently associated with an inflammatory activity. The effects of the airway pressure on the inflammatory component are not addressed. Is there any chance to do so? Alternatively, this issue should be intensively discussed.