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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This is a review about the development of rTMS in the treatment of PTSD. Generally speaking, this article uses refined language to summarize the history and the detail of clinical application of rTMS, and also discuss the future directions of rTMS in PTSD. Because of full explanation of parameters of rTMS in this article, This article has certain guiding significance for clinicians who want to apply it in the clinical work. After carefully reading of this article, here are my detailed comments: 1. In the part of “Principle of rTMS for PTSD”, references are not enough to support the main idea of this topic. I think some references and reviews should be added to better demonstrate the role of long-term potentiation (LTP) in the process of rTMS treating PTSD. 2. There are still some minor linguistic mistakes in the manuscript, such as misuse of singular and plural numbers, and inconsistent tenses.