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Dear Editor,

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers:

1 Format has been updated

We provide language certificate by professional English language editing.

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer.

(1) We include a table with differential diagnosis and a table with diagnostic criteria.
Language editing has been performed (see invoice American Journal Experts).

(2) In the section “Pathophysiology” the authors added some more information, also regarding the distinction of this entity from hepatic encephalopathy. Unfortunately, experimental studies in animals that can help for the distinction of the two clinical entities are still lacking.

(3) We include a table with differential diagnosis and another with recommended diagnostic evaluation.

(4) We believe that such a review may be of interest also for gastroenterologists.
The Medline-search strategy has been clarified.

3 References and typesetting were corrected.

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Gastroenterology*.

Sincerely yours,

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