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1. Search scope, start and end time should be clearly marked. 2. It is suggested to combine the existing data on mortality and recurrence rates. 3. Exclusion criteria in this manuscript only exclude pure variceal bleeding, other causes combined with variceal bleeding should also be excluded.

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Interesting topic and sure will be welcomed by most of doctors dealing with acute upper GI bleeding. Aim and methodology were clearly outlined. PRISMA was efficiently used. I agree with the author, there are limited data and trials addressing the GI bleeding in an internationally acceptable algorithm, however the available data now are sufficient enough to help the GI doctors in this matter.