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### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

The article is very instructive. Intra-peritoneal Paragonimus without lung involvement has been reported very rarely, and cases with a negative stool test and normal eosinophil counts may be misdiagnosed as tuberculous peritonitis. I agree with the author that preoperative serologic test for P. westmani may help patients recall history of crustacean consumption and prevent unnecessary surgery.