

Editorial Summary

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It has been our pleasure to assist you with the polishing of your manuscript. During editing, some questions and concerns arose. These are listed below.

Queries, suggestions, and/or comments

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Lines 178-179	“Despite these potential advantages, morbidity rates related to T-tube presence have been reported to be at a rate of 4% to 16.4% in the laparoscopic era” Please clarify.	

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Project Coordinator