

## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

Name of journal: World Journal of Gastrointestinal Endoscopy

Manuscript NO: 75211

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Provenance and peer review: Invited Manuscript; Externally peer reviewed

Peer-review model: Single blind

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| Scientific quality | [ ] Grade A: Excellent [ ] Grade B: Very good [Y] Grade C: Good<br>[ ] Grade D: Fair [ ] Grade E: Do not publish                               |
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| Language quality   | [ ] Grade A: Priority publishing [ Y] Grade B: Minor language polishing [ ] Grade C: A great deal of language polishing [ ] Grade D: Rejection |
| Conclusion         | [ ] Accept (High priority) [ ] Accept (General priority) [ ] Minor revision [ Y] Major revision [ ] Rejection                                  |
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### SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This article has presented five case reports with submucosal recurrence after CRC resection during surveillance. It has provided a useful clinical note for some cases with difficult diagnosis due to irregular recurrence. Because of rare proportion, LCRCs with submucosal recurrence were often difficult to diagnose and manage. With EUS-FNA and/or EUS-FNB, LCRCs with submucosal recurrence can be diagnosed accurately, so that, avoid late applications of treatment strategies.



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The case series described by hidden Local recurrence of colorectal adenocarcinoma diagnosed by EUS-FNA. Although important, the novelty is low. To preform EUS for submucosal tumor is the standrad procedure. 1. What types of ultrasonic endoscope did you use? Inserting the ultrasonic endoscope is difficult especilly for the right hemicolon. 2. What is the initial EUS imaging diagnoses for the 5 patients? If malignancy was suspected, combined with CT/MRI/PET-CT imagings, derict surgical resection can be performed. So why you perform EUS-FNA, if the serosal layer was broken, the risk of tumor seeding will increase. 3. The firures failed to clearly show the layers of digestive tract. The identification of ech laryer would be better.



### RE-REVIEW REPORT OF REVISED MANUSCRIPT

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| Scientific quality | [ ] Grade A: Excellent [ ] Grade B: Very good [Y] Grade C: Good [ ] Grade D: Fair [ ] Grade E: Do not publish                                  |
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I had no more comment. The case report was suitable for publishing in this journal.