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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

SEMS placement might be associated with severe venous invasion in colorectal cancer tissue. It makes sense. A larger sample size is recommended for further study.

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In this manuscript the authors reported that SEMS placement in patients with obstructive colorectal cancer was significantly associated with venous invasion. The results is interesting. This article may be the starting point for other prospective works by other research groups to confirm this results. Although the article presents important limits, well described by the authors, the manuscript can be considered for publication after revision. One question: how much time has elapsed between stent placement and surgery; even if the number of cases is limited, did the authors note a correlation between venous invasion and the waiting time for surgery?