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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

1. Use abbreviations sparingly in the text, and spell them out the first time you use them. Abbreviations used in tables should be spelled out at the bottom of the table. 2. The last picture is unlabeled, please check it. 3. There are so many language errors, please correct them carefully.

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The authors present a case of PNS at an ESD site that was reduced by Hp eradication, and although the cause of the PNS remains undetermined, it represents one possible association with eradication therapy. Comments are provided below. 1 In the Case report section, does "Lt" mean Left? It should not be abbreviated in its first use. 2 After ESD, antacids agents, including PPIs, should be clearly indicated, for how long, in what doses, and for how long. This is because PNS and acid levels may be involved. 3 Was the patient taking any oral steroids? If so, they may have prolonged the healing of the ulcer and may have influenced the course of development of the PNS in this case. 4 One of the causes of PNS may be hyperplasia of the gastric mucosa along with hyperacidity, but were serum gastrin levels measured? 5 It is expected that acid levels to recover with eradication, but is it possible that the resulting hyperacidity of the stomach could affect the increase in PNS? This needs to be discussed.

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This article provides an alternative treatment option for PNS patients who are positive for H. pylori infection. And the eradication of H. pylori seems to have had good results. But there are still some minor problems. 1. According to ARANTES et al[1], PPI, which is very commonly used after ESD, may be one of the causes of PNS because of its role in promoting the proliferation of gastric mucosa fossa epithelium and granulation tissue formation. What is the medication history of PPI for this patient during the follow-up after ESD? 2. It is necessary to exclude some malignant lesions and tumor recurrence before diagnosing PNS. In this article, the author described the pathological manifestations of this patient's biopsy, the pathological images should be provided. 3. "A" and "B" in Figure 3 are not indicated. [1] ARANTES V, UEDO N. Criteria to characterize polypoid nodule scar after gastric endoscopic submucosal dissection in order to differentiate it from tumor recurrence[J]. Turk J Gastroenterol, 2021, 32(1): 106-107.