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#### SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Very good analysis of evidence. Practical recommendations to take into account for practitioners but also for next research agenda

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Daj et al. aimed to research the latest literature and determine the current trends in treatment for NAFLD utilizing a bibliometric and visualization analysis. Although the manuscript is well written, I have some comments: **INTRODUCTION** - Overall, the introduction effectively sets the context for the study, providing a comprehensive background on NAFLD, addressing associated comorbidities, treatment challenges, and the need for research. It prepares readers for the subsequent analysis and findings presented in the manuscript. However, please explain how bibliometric analysis contributes to understanding research trends and hotspots in the field of NAFLD treatment. Why is the scarcity of bibliometric statistical analyses in liver disease, particularly NAFLD, mentioned? **DISCUSSION** - The discussion highlights the significant increase in annual publications and research studies on NAFLD treatment, particularly in the past five years, indicating a growing interest and focus on the treatment of NAFLD worldwide. However, please mention your limitations and strengths.