Reviewer #1:

 Bile leaks was the primary outcome for this study since prior clinical studies had mentioned bile leaks as a concern after surgery for gallbladder cancer. Although there were more patients who had biliary reconstruction, we did not want to focus on biliary reconstruction as the primary outcome since advanced staged gallbladder cancers have a greater chance of requiring reconstruction due to the involvement of the cancer. I did include the treatment of bile leaks in the manuscript.

Reviewer #2:

- 1. I changed the title to *Post-operative morbidity* from *Peri-operative morbidity* to reflect the purpose of the research.
- 2. If neoadjuvant chemotherapy was written out after the first appearance, I changed it to NACT.
- 3. When neoadjuvant therapy referred to NACT, I changed the term from neoadjuvant therapy to NACT.