

## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

**Name of journal:** *World Journal of Gastroenterology*

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Scientific quality	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Do not publish
Novelty of this manuscript	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: No novelty
Creativity or innovation of this manuscript	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: No creativity or innovation

<b>Scientific significance of the conclusion in this manuscript</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: No scientific significance
<b>Language quality</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection
<b>Conclusion</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept (High priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Accept (General priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Minor revision <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Major revision <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
<b>Re-review</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Peer-reviewer statements</b>	Peer-Review: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anonymous <input type="checkbox"/> Onymous
	Conflicts-of-Interest: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

## SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

It is a study that looks like a book chapter, examining the issue of jaundice in children very well. There are many different diseases and parameters. The topics are explained in order. It would be more meaningful if an analytical and comparative definition was made.

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## SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This is an extensive Review Article about common diseases of bile duct in children that can be helpful for physicians to improve the management of pediatric patients with these pathologies. The manuscript is nicely written and adequately structured. It is also updated, and it includes interesting cases. However, there are issues in this almost flawless manuscript that need to be addressed: Major issue: -The Figure 2 (Type of BA that was classified by anatomic variants by the Japanese Society of Pediatric Surgeons) is showing the Todani classification of choledochal cysts. The authors should clarify whether it is a mistake or explain what they want to illustrate, and indicate the source. Minor issues: -Figure 5D should be referred in the text about Hypercholesterolemia. Table 7 and Table 8 should be referred in the text about gallstones and Todani classification, respectively. -Some References, such as 44 and 145, should be edited because of extra text.

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## SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Children's biliary tract diseases are mostly related to genes. The author pays close attention to this issue and discusses it with interesting cases.

## RE-REVIEW REPORT OF REVISED MANUSCRIPT

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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

The article, figures and tables are very detailed. I couldn't find anything to criticize. Some figure legends are very detailed and long. It can be published as is. It has content that could be a book chapter.. Pictures s are very well chosen. Congratulations