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**Title:** Neonatal gastric perforation: a single center experience

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers:

1 Format has been updated

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer

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**Neonatal gastric perforation(NGP) is extremely rare and only few cases have been reported to date. We present nine cases of NGP treated in a single center and prognostic factors and etiologies were analyzed. Early detection and prompt surgical intervention is essential for better outcome in NGP.**
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3 References and typesetting were corrected and comments session were added.

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