Dear Editors,

We are very pleased with the positive feedback to our study and we are delighted to provide you with the revised manuscript alongside annotated changes that were made in reply to the reviewers. We sincerely thank the reviewers for their kindness advices in upgrading the quality of this manuscript. We hope that it will similarly meet the interest of readers of World Journal of Gastroenterology and we wish it will spark enthusiasm for further research and discussion on the topic. Please find, on the next pages, our replies to the reviewers and to the Editor's changes.

Sincerely,

The Authors

REVIEWER 05455405

Dear editors and authors! The manuscript "Comprehensively evaluate the short outcome of small bowel obstruction: a novel medical-economic score system" presents an up-to-date study in which promising data were obtained on the problem of adhesive and strangulation intestinal obstruction. The actual problem of urgent abdominal surgery. The manuscript does not require much correction. Tables, figures, references to literary data are used and given in the text by the authors correctly. Comment: in the material and methods, it is necessary to indicate the approaches that were used in the clinic to resolve intestinal obstruction and the outcomes of these interventions (conservative resolution of intestinal obstruction, surgical treatment - laparotomy or laparoscopic access), these are significant factors! both the immediate period and the long-term risk of recurrence of intestinal obstruction. The title, abstract, and keywords fully describe the content of the manuscript. The static analysis was carried out at a high level, as well as the qualitative scientific style of the authors' presentation of their research data. It would also be interesting to study statistical data on adhesive intestinal obstruction in China (data can be entered both in the Introduction and Discussion section)

We sincerely thank the reviewer for the kind words of interest in our work, and we agree with the raised concerns and revise the manuscript according to the reviewer's comments. In in the material and methods, we have added the sentences "Once patients with highly suspect of bowel ischemia or failure to conservative treatment, laparoscopy as well as laparotomy was adopted for SBO patients according to different intrabdominal pressures" as well as making a supplement of the management and resolution for SBO patients (shown in Table 1).