

PEER-REVIEW REPORT

Name of journal: *World Journal of Diabetes*

Manuscript NO: 76609

Title: Metformin Toxicity: A Meta-summary of Case Reports

Provenance and peer review: Invited Manuscript; Externally peer reviewed

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Professional title: Academic Research, Doctor

Reviewer's Country/Territory: China

Author's Country/Territory: India

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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 Grade E: Do not publish
Language quality	<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
Conclusion	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept (High priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Accept (General priority) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Minor revision <input type="checkbox"/> Major revision <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
Re-review	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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Conflicts-of-Interest: [] Yes [Y] No

SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The review by Juneja D is interesting with some of value. It emphasizes that despite severe MALA and the need for multiple organ support, they may have good outcomes. I suggest the manuscript be accepted after minor revision.

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The result's section needs to be redone. I have presented more comments in the attached document.

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If possible, the authors should explain which of the patients' signs and symptoms is more predictive of death at admission?

RE-REVIEW REPORT OF REVISED MANUSCRIPT

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Author's Country/Territory: India

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Thank you for the invitation to re-review the manuscript titled "Metformin Toxicity: A Meta-summary of Case Reports." The authors reviewed case reports and case series to analyze metformin toxicity's clinical parameters and outcomes. The authors satisfactorily revised the manuscript as per my comments. I have no more comments. Thank you.