

Reviewer's code: 03699937

Thank you for your nice comments on our article. According to your suggestions, we have supplemented several data here and corrected several mistakes in our previous draft.

The original conclusion part is deleted according to the requirement of *Guidelines for Manuscript Preparation and Submission: Retrospective Study*, but we rewrite the conclusion section in the abstract and the article highlight section according to your advice. What's more, we also polish the language of the article. Thank you very much for your help.

Reviewer's code: 03087211 (I wrote an e-mail to my editor (Jia-Ping Yan) to appeal for recheck the comments the Reviewer 03087211 on March 17th, 2019.)

We are very grateful to your comments on the manuscript. After careful reading the references that you mentioned in the comments, we find little connection between our manuscript and the references, which are articles in the field of pharmaceutical chemistry. Thus, we can't accept your opinion. Thank you all the same.

Reviewer's code: 03478635

We feel great thanks for your professional review work on our

article. As you are concerned, there are several problems that need to be addressed. According to your nice suggestions, we have made extensive corrections to our previous draft. We have added necessary information to supplement our results and edited our article extensively. The detailed corrections are listed below:

First, characteristics of the patients at baseline are distributed by age currently in Table 1. Second, Kaplan-Meier now include the number with different clinical response in Figure 3D, Figure 3E and Figure 3F. Third, Time points are added in the text in figure 4.

Last but not least, we have made careful modifications to the original manuscript to minimize typographical and grammatical errors. Once again, we would like to acknowledge your comments very much, which are valuable in improving the quality of our manuscript.

Reviewer's code: 03017551

Thank you for your comments on our manuscript. The manuscript has been checked and the language has been polished. We are really honored to introduce our experience for treatment, which is beneficial and meaningful to gastric cancer patients with clinical para-aortic node metastasis.