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Response to the reviewers.

Thank you for reviewing the manuscript and your positive thoughtful comments and suggestions.

After carefully reading your recommendations I have made the following changes.

1. The abstract has been re-written, condensed to exclude any redundant phrases and sentences. A statement describing how the articles and information was searched to write this manuscript has been added.
2. The main text of the manuscript is also rephrased in certain paragraphs and sentences in the FAP section to allow a steady, smooth, logical flow of information for the readers.
3. The Fig 1 showing the schematic molecular pathways in various genetic and inflammatory bowel disease have been re-done to improve understanding and make it more presentable to the readers.
3. Finally the aim of this manuscript is to emphasize the risks of small intestinal carcinoma in these polyposis syndromes and associated inflammatory bowel diseases, reinforcing the known oncologic signaling mechanisms and currently available surveillance modalities. The risk of colorectal neoplasia with polyposis syndromes and inflammatory bowel diseases is already established. We did not discuss the treatment modalities for small bowel adenocarcinoma as, that is vast topic and I feel should be a separate manuscript by itself.

Please let me know if there are any further queries.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours.

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