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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Generally a good review paper, maybe a bit too long. I would recommend cutting down by 15% in length Also some annoying spelling and grammatical errors



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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The manuscript entitled "Role of pre-operative clinical factors and testing as outcome predictors in GERD patients following laparoscopic total fundoplication" is a very interesting and well documented review concerning outcome of GERD patients after fundoplication as well as the criteria for selecting them for fundoplication. The manuscript is well structured and well written in English. The topic is actual. It also needs a minor revision of the English orthography.