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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The article has significant information and is a good review. However, it would benefit from better organization of paragraphs and sentence construction. Some specific suggestions follow:

Epidemiology: 1st paragraph: Need to rephrase the second sentence as Italy appears out of place. Also, need a reference attached to age distribution of 20.8 and 40 years. 2nd paragraph: Would delete the last 2 sentences stating: The male to female ratio...and The age at diagnosis is approx...as they seem to slightly contradict the prior sentences. Pathogenesis I would change the paragraph order starting with the second paragraph that talks about autoimmunity. The last 2 sentences of this paragraph then talk about autoinflammatory mechanisms and should be part of a different paragraph. Clinical Manifestations 3rd paragraph: Probably what you mean is that the pathergy test is frequently utilized, not highly common as it states. The last sentence of the same paragraph does not read right either. Sweet's disease and neutrophilic dermatitis are the same entity and it is written as if these are distinct. The incidence of PSC in Crohn's disease is less than 5% and not 10%.



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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

A useful comprehensive paper on the comparison of Bechet disease and Crohn's. A mainly well written paper. Comments; 1. please add an additional Table summarizing the treatment options and efficacies of these therapies in the 2 diseases 2. please add core tips and format references according to the journal's requirements 3. Table 1 should be updated, add Copenhagen and Lennard-Jones diagnostic criteria 4. please discuss the Montreal classification for Crohn's in the clinical manifestation section 5. please confirm that the Figure is original and was not published before



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I am happy to accept the manuscript for publication for the Journal. It is well written and comprehensive. The pages are not numbered. 1. Under epidemiology, second last line on that page. The word "ratio" is not required. 2. Many pages down under Intestinal manifestations a. 9th line spelling error - gastroduedonal b. 10th line - in same sentence, the description "usually presenting with terminal ileum and colon involvement is duplicated in the same sentence. c. Line 15 spelling error endoscopic ally 3. Under Pathology 7th line first word "condition" would be better worded as "involvement" 4. In medical literature the word CONCLUSION is CONCLUSIONS even if there were only one conclusion!



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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Dear Author, This is an excellent review about similarities and differences between Behcet's and Crohn's diseases. It is well written and comprehensive, but it should have some minor adjustments. Minor comments: 1. In 'intestinal manifestations' section, 'The shape of ulcers varies endoscopically from irregular to round and oval with a punched-out appearance...' should be replaced with 'The shape of ulcers varies endoscopically from irregular to round and oval with a punched-out appearance...' 2. The heading 'conclusion' should be replaced with 'conclusions'.