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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Great tips. One question: is it possible to remove the lesion using the TaTME approach?



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Using a laparoscopic forceps to help the ESD through a port would facilitate the exposure of dissection point, while at the same time would disturb the freedom of the tip of the endoscope, according to our experience. In the discussion, the value of the adding of the forceps should be taken into account, in cases of different sizes of the lesion.



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This paper describes ESD-ARAMIS, a novel method for superficial rectal t neoplasms which facilitates endoscopic submucosal dissection by use of the laparoscopic instruments through the ARAMIS platform. This technique helps to make surgery faster and safer, and is likely to be widely used in the future.