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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

In this manuscript, Dr Qin and colleagues report the results of their work in which the authors have developed and applied an approach that combines contrast-enhanced computed tomography and reconstructed vascular systems in the transjugular intrahepatic portal systemic shunt (TIPS) placement. The authors report that the application of the technique over a period of seven years was safe, simple and effective for clinical use. Obviously, the work Dr Qin and colleagues would be of interest to medical researchers and physicians conducting TIPS placements. The results of the study are reflected on one page of the manuscript. This reviewer suggests to consider to presenting the data as a short communication ("Technical developments in medical field") or as a Letter to Editor, rather than a full-size paper.