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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The article by Preciado et al., aimed to review the Role of Hepatitis C Virus Molecular Evolution in Transmission, Disease Progression and Antiviral Therapy. Although the manuscript is well written, a minor concern arise about the paragraph "Disease progression" and the other paragraphs dealing with the therapy. Except for the association between the HCV genotype 3 and Steatosis mentioned at page 18, and the aa 70 associated to HCC (page 17), it has to be added few lines dealing with the link between HCV genotypes and the impact on different outcome of disease progression, source of infection and therapy in the respective paragraph. For the purpose mentioned above, the following milestone articles have to be reported together with few lines dealing with them: Paragraph "MOLECULAR ASPECTS OF THERAPY AND DRUG RESISTANCE": Webster G, Barnes E, Brown D, Dusheiko G. HCV genotypes – role in pathogenesis of disease and response to therapy. Baillieres Best Pract. Res. Clin. Gastroenterol. 14(2), 229–240 (2000). Paragraph "Disease progression": Ripoli M, Pazienza V. Impact of HCV genetic differences on pathobiology of disease. Expert Rev Anti Infect Ther. 2011 Sep;9(9):747-59. Paragraph "Disease progression": Amoroso P, Rapicetta M, Tosti ME et al. Correlation between virus genotype and chronicity rate in acute hepatitis C. J. Hepatol. 28, 939–944 (1998). Paragraph "Virus Transmission": Pawlotsky JM, Taskiris L, Roudot-Thoraval F et al. Relationship between hepatitis C virus genotypes and sources of infection in patients with chronic hepatitis C. J. Infect. Dis. 171, 1607–1610 (1995). Paragraph "Interferon free thrapy": Lawitz E, Mangia A, Wyles D, Rodriguez-Torres M, Hassanein T, Gordon SC, Schultz M, Davis MN, Kayali Z, Reddy KR, Jacobson IM, Kowdley KV, Nyberg L, Subramanian GM, Hyland RH, Arterburn S, Jiang

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Very well written article. Upto date information. Accepted without any revision.

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I reviewed the manuscript, "The Role of Hepatitis C Virus Molecular Evolution in Transmission, Disease Progression and Antiviral Therapy" for the publication in World Journal of Gastroenterology. Authors of this review article showed HCV molecular evolution and treatment. This subject is a very clinical important issue and the authors performed a good review on this subject.