

## ESPS PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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## COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Comment to Authors -The paper is very interesting, especially considering the rarity and complexity of these diseases. - abbreviations should always be written out in full (BS, GS). -Seyberth, 2008 #482;Seyberth, 2011 #54): what indicates? -Should be inserted some data on the epidemiology, treatment, prognosis and quality of life of these patients

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The manuscript summarized clinical characteristics and genetic changes in Bartter syndrome and Gitelman Syndrome. Overall, the manuscript provided helpful information. The tables presented are also helpful. However, the manuscript may be improved by following: 1, adding some information about incidences, possibly in different ethnicities or race. 2, Some background on normal pathways of renal tubular handling of sodium, potassium and chloride will be helpful. 3, It will be helpful to add reference information for genetic changes listed in Table 1.