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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This was a review article focused on gastric ESD for the patients with comorbid conditions. However some misspelled words should be corrected, this article was well-written and had important information for readers.

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The paper entitle "Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection in Patients with Early Gastric Cancer and Comorbid Conditions" by Nishida T et al, is well-written and comprehensive review about this subject. I suggest that this paper should be accepted after minor revisions, I believe that this could be an important paper for the readers of the journal. I have some suggestions and corrections to propose that could help to improve it: 1. Manuscripts should be typed in 1.5 line spacing and 12 pt. Book Antiqua with ample margins. 2. The authors described ESD in early gastric cancer not only in comorbid conditions (antithrombotic agents, chronic kidney disease and liver cirrhosis) but also in elderly patients. The title of the paper should be "Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection in Early Gastric Cancer in Elderly patients and Comorbid Conditions" 3. The first phrase in Core tip "Endoscopic submucosal dissection (ESD) is widely accepted as a local treatment for these lesions, particularly for early gastric cancer" should be "Endoscopic submucosal dissection (ESD) is widely accepted as a local treatment for gastric cancer, particularly for early gastric cancer" 4. Core tip "In this review, we discuss the clinical problems of ESD in patients with EGC and comorbid conditions" should be