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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This article gives a feeling that the author seems to want to summarize it in a big and comprehensive way, but it is broad and not precise, and it seems to cover everything, but no part is in-depth research.



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This is an interesting article on the immunological mechanisms related to different clinical complications that occur after liver transplantation. They accompany the review of tables on the mechanisms of immunosuppressive drugs and on markers of different complications. The review is very complete and is potentially useful to specialists who work with liver transplantation. As it focuses on the mechanisms that are related to rejection and its therapies, the possible prevention of its complications is not sufficiently addressed. We suggest briefly including some content on immune monitoring to prevent infectious complications. For example, immune monitoring of IgG levels and its possible role in predicting infections. For the rest, it is an article that should be published.