



PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This manuscript is a case report on new types of SEMS. Until now, SEMS has been developed in three types: Uncovered SEMS, Covered SEMS, and Partially Covered SEMS. However, there are advantages and disadvantages of each of the three SEMS. The



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author has developed a new type of SEMS and contributed a case report showing the merits of this SEMS. However, the following problems are supposed to be corrected and corrected.

Introduction

1. The author must accurately describe the background and aim reporting this case report. If we look at the case report form, what was the problem of SEMS so far, how did the author worry about how to overcome those problems, and the author could solve the problem in some way. The author invented this new SEMS, and the authors would like to describe in order of which cases they applied to maximize the benefits of this new SEMS.
2. Please insert the references that describe the problems of SEMS in Introduction part.
3. The current state can not generally accept all the benefits of this SEMS. This is just a case report, not a proven study report. Please write that the author has applied it clinically because it can expect such an effect.
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Case reports

In this case report, it would be better not to describe the general clinical outcome. Please delete all boldly.

1. For each case, the basic clinical information and the radiological findings should be described with figures. The authors described for new stents.
2. The authors did not describe the entire treatment process, but focused on stenting. From the reader's point of view, this case report is not fully understood.

Discussion

This section describes the author's thoughts and opinions about the problems or special issues described in the case reports, and cites the related published papers related to the case reports to try to understand what the reader is curious about. However, the authors unilaterally claim the merit of the stent that a new stent could solve everything. Rather than this statement, please describe the author's opinion on the merits of the case mentioned above that led to better patient care. With these techniques, it would be better to briefly describe the conclusion.



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SCIENTIFIC QUALITY	LANGUAGE QUALITY	CONCLUSION	PEER-REVIEWER STATEMENTS
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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The authors described the initial experiences of Multi-Hole Self-expandable Metallic Stent (MHSEMS) in the treatment patients of biliary stricture. The novel design of metallic stent is interesting and may be promising; however, I have major concerns



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about this manuscript. 1. The MHSEMS was theoretically designed to overcome the disadvantages of fully covered and non-covered metallic stents, i.e., migration and occlusion/ tissue ingrowth, irrespectively. The authors should provide the results of 6 cases regarding initial outcome (migration) and follow-up outcome (occlusion/ tissue ingrowth). 2. I would suggest the authors provide a table to show the characteristics and outcomes of 6 cases treated with MHSEMS.

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