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COMMENTS

COMMENTS TO AUTHORS:

This is a clinical research based on patients with HCV recurrence after liver transplantation, it is important to propose ethics and informed consent of patients in the part of materials and methods. Besides figure 1, please provide the histopathology figure (HE staining) to better represent histological response of patients in the result. Please provide a figure of immunohistochemistry to represent expression of HCV. Is reference 23 and 24 the same one reference? Please modify the format of the references.



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As a retrospective clinical study on patients with HCV recurrence after liver transplantation, the results proved the efficacy of the long-term antiviral treatment with leucocyte natural alpha-interferon and ribavirin on disease progression, and showed a good safety and tolerability profile for patients. If possible, please provide the immunohistochemistry figures. And the format should be in accordance with the requirements.