

## ESPS Peer-review Report

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B (Very good)	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: minor language polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Existed	<input type="checkbox"/> High priority for publication
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C (Good)	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: a great deal of	<input type="checkbox"/> No records	
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D (Fair)	language polishing	BPG Search:	<input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
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		<input type="checkbox"/> No records	<input type="checkbox"/> Major revision

## COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This is a nicely written manuscript giving a good overview over the field of pharmacological specificities in CP patients. style and language are adequate for acceptance, no revisions are necessary.

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This manuscript, "Pharmacological Challenges in Chronic Pancreatitis", is a well-written article, reviewing pathogenesis and management to the patients with chronic pancreatitis. It might be considered accepted after belowing minor revisions: 1. The authors pointed out the possible etiologies of pancreatitis, such as alcohol, nicotine consumption, hereditary factors, immunological factors, et al. However, in the East, gallstones or biliary pancreatitis has a higher percentage than the others. Could the authors add more information about this group of patients? 2. The authors mentioned the benefit of "low-fat diet", please present it more precisely, for example, how much Kcal in a day ? or percentage in whole-day intake ? 3. In the "Management in chronic pancreatitis", "Surgical management" has a partial role. In the true world, ERCP, EPT, and/or pancreatic duct stent implant, own less invasive and more adapted in these patient. Could the author include the related description ?

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Interesting as CP is a rather complicated disease and it might be helpful to be aware of the various problems addressed in the review. I suggest to change introduction and conclusion to clarify the aim and results of the paper. Furthermore I suggest to reevaluate the recommendation to use a low fat diet as in many of the patients a normal fat containing diet with sufficient enzyme replacement should be better. Furthermore changes in the duct system/obstruction should primarily be addressed by endoscopic techniques and not be surgical techniques.