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### COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

1. This is a comprehensive review of potential biomarkers. The reader is left with lots of questions that should be answered in a summary paragraph. a. Which biomarkers are commercially available? b. At what cost? c. Besides CA 19-9, are there biomarkers that every patient with pancreatic cancer should have drawn for: 1) diagnosis? 2) prognosis? 3) pre-treatment to define potential chemotherapeutic agent selection or response to therapy? 2. There are multiple grammar issues with this manuscript which could be improved. Please see suggestions in your original submission.



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No further questions are needed to revise.