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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

"Immunomodulation of enteric neural function in Irritable Bowel Syndrome" presented by Dervla O'Malley indicates the importance of neuroimmune modulation of gastrointestinal function in IBS. This paper is well written, but it would better if author can use figures to summarize the data and represent them.



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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The manuscript "Immunomodulation of enteric neural function in Irritable Bowel Syndrome" is suitable for publication. The title reflects the major topic and contents of the manuscript. The structure is concise, containing information of the highest quality. It may be of interest for some readers the addition of some conclusive ideas.



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The manuscript is lacking of tables and figures Etiological causes should be organized in tables. The following sentence could be better explained with a cartoon: " Biopsies from IBS patients display increased numbers of immune cells, including mast cells and lymphocytes recruited to the mucosa [7, 8] and it has been proposed that mediators released by activated immune cells modulate GI motor and sensory neurons and muscle function resulting in the initiation and perpetuation of IBS symptoms [9]." Due to the plethora of released mediators from mast cell I would suggest to expand the analysis of infiltrating mast cells.