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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The article studied an adequate sample size of elderly patients with biliary disease. A positive point of the study is that all patients underwent the same protocol and conducts. Currently, there is a more aggressive trend towards the surgical treatment of these patients based on data from the recent literature, using better imaging and endoscopic methods for diagnosis and surgical techniques. However, the study does not perform a long- term follow-up (1 or 2 years) of the patient's natural history after the procedure. The work deserves to be published, but a grammatical revision is required.