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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The review entitled -Brain changes in patients with Crohn’s Disease detected by functional magnetic resonance imaging and spectroscopy- by Lv K et al. is an interesting paper regarding the neurologic disorders in patients with intestinal inflammation detected by BOLD-fMRI. The subject is new and promising. The introduction and discussions are well and clearly write. The references were well selected and up-dated. From my point of view is suitable for publication.



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In the presented article the possible relationship between brain changes in patients with CD detected by functional MRI and spectroscopy and intestinal microbiota has been reviewed. It is a comprehensive review. Minor issues: 1-The article needs language polishing (see the attached file) 2-Brain-gut-enteric axis has been used repeatedly. Although the same expression has been used some published articles, is it necessary to add (-enteric)? 3-ROLE OF MICROBIOTA IN ONSET AND DEVELOPMENT OF CD; the first sentence must be corrected because the microbiome refers to all of the genetic material within a microbiota, not to the microorganism.