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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This is a compilation of various information for diagnosing pancreatic cancer. But excluding CTC analysis or AI-based technology, it is most of the existing diagnostic methods have been summarized. It can be pointed out that the content did not organize according to the title. Further, the AI section will have to be described in conjunction with the imaging section. This is because AI-based analytics must be accompanied by imaging results. As you know, it can be made difficult to early diagnosis because of the absence of clinical symptoms associated with the onset and development of pancreatic cancer. Therefore, an increase in the possibility of early diagnosis through regular examinations such as ultrasonography should be devised. It would be better if this fact is also described by adding a public health part.

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