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PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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Manuscript NO: 83641

Title: Cholangioscopy-assisted extraction through novel papillary support for small-calibre and sediment-like common bile duct stones

Provenance and peer review: Unsolicited manuscript; Externally peer reviewed

Peer-review model: Single blind

Reviewer's code: 03251531

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Professional title: Doctor

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Reviewer chosen by: AI Technique

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| Scientific quality | <input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Do not publish |
| Novelty of this manuscript | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: No novelty |
| Creativity or innovation of this manuscript | <input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: No creativity or innovation |

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| Scientific significance of the conclusion in this manuscript | <input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: No scientific significance |
| Language quality | <input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection |
| Conclusion | <input type="checkbox"/> Accept (High priority) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accept (General priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Minor revision <input type="checkbox"/> Major revision <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection |
| Re-review | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Peer-reviewer statements | Peer-Review: <input type="checkbox"/> Anonymous <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Onymous |
| | Conflicts-of-Interest: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |

SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The study introduces cholangioscopy-assisted extraction through a novel papillary support for small-calibre and sediment-like common bile duct - It's a well designed study but the sample size is too small for standarzing results (7 patients) - I think the study is very interesting in special setting - For example radiation injury makes the standard ERCP technique unsuitable for selected patients, such as pregnant women and children - To overcome these problems, it's possible to introduce cholangioscopy-assisted extraction through this device for small-calibre CBD stones, reducing radiation injury and avoiding EST - The results are innovative but the procedures will be more expensive and according my point of view suitable in "super-selected" cases



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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The article is well designed and written. However, the number of patients included in the study is very small. This prospective study isn't suitable to publish as an original article before reaching a larger number of patients. It can be published as case series.

RE-REVIEW REPORT OF REVISED MANUSCRIPT

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It's a good review

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Well designed and written article can be published as a case series.