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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Well written review with comprehensive discussion. The following changes can be made. In "Immuno-locoregional combination therapy" section, the authors discussed immunotherapies for HCC and pointed this direction. However, I think the authors should discuss hyperprogression induced by immunotherapies, as it is crucial in clinical practice.



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Dear Authors Thank you very much for your great effort in writing this review article. The review article is written very carefully. I would appreciate if you include the studies that discuss management of recurrent HCC and not primary HCC In certain modalities, you merged between studies dealing with primary HCC and studies for R-HCC