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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This editorial is clear and with a great clinical interest for patients with DM and HF using this SGLT2 for the prevention and treatment of this complication. Really, it is convenient to do wide clinical trials for these affected patients because it looks like a very promising treatment reducing the related mortality with this complication.

INITIAL REVIEW OF THE MANUSCRIPT

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The editorial focused on the role of SGLT2i in the management of heart failure in patients with diabetes mellitus. The issue is of interest, considering diabetes the risk of the heart failure. I have a few issues that deserve an answer. 1. In the first sentence of the instruction, please update the new the prevalence of diabetes mellitus 2. It is better to compare the results of CV outcome in the EMPA-REG OUTCOME, CANVAS and DAPA-HF trials. 3. What is the potential mechanism of these beneficial effects besides glucose-lowering effect.

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