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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The authors reviewed mesopancreas in view of diagnostic imaging. Mesopancreas excision is important for radical resection of pancreatic head cancer. Evaluation of mesopancreas is necessary before total mesopancreas excision (TMpE). This manuscript described imaging of mesopancreas with contrast-enhanced CT, MRI, and PET/CT. This review was useful and informative. Are there any literatures on superiority of TMpE on patient survival in patients with pancreatic cancer? Did patients survive longer with successful TMpE than those with unsuccessful TMpE?



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Important as well as actual topic from the surgical and radiological point of view. Useful review of the recent data.