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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

In this review, the authors reviewed the role of the integrated TCM and Western medicine in treating advanced gastric cancer. The pathogenesis of advanced gastric cancer, TCM therapies, Western medicine therapies, and TCM-assisted chemotherapy were reviewed and discussed. The manuscript is well written. The structure of the study is clear, and the references are updated. The reviewer suggestions to accept this review after a minor editing.

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This is an interesting review of TCM and Western medicine in the treatment of advanced gastric cancer. The authors found that the combinations of TCM therapies with the modern treatments can improve the therapeutic effects and reduce the adverse reactions caused by modern medical technology. The manuscript should be edited before publication.