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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

I agree with following view of this article: Although the TNM stage reflects the tumor characteristics, cancer progression and survival are not determined solely based on the local characteristics of the tumor, but also the host systemic immune/inflammatory response. but the following sections are needed for improving :Please carefully check the following three describes (Nevin painted yellow): stage IV CRC,unresectable stage IV CRC,unresectable metastatic disease. My advice is only to retain stage IV CRC,unresectable stage IV CRC Two descriptions.



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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

In this review the authors discuss the prognostic value of various inflammation-based factors in patients with CRC. It'll add to the literature. However, I have some comments: 1. Some of the prognostic factors are associated with stage I-II CRCs, while the title is about advanced CRC. When we say "advanced", we always mean stage IV, sometimes including stagy III. So I suggest you revise the title. 2. The readers need solid data. It will be better to add some information in detail to show the factors are significantly correlated with the prognosis of patients with CRC. I think the content is too simple to prove your idea, except in the chapter about OPNI. 3. Although I'm not a native English speaker, I found there are some garmmer mistakes in the manuscript.