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### COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Very important review in an area needed of good information. Minor comments: In the introduction please change the sentence about esclerotherapy being the standard procedure for treatment varices. Band ligation is the recommended standard procedure. Other errors: pag 8, line 16: "is a weakness"; pag. 10, first sentence: Most jejunal and ileal variceal bleeding, generally detected after previous intra-abdominal surgery, are serious...



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1. The title for this paper should be altered to "Endoscopic treatment for ectopic varices from portal hypertension". 2. A brief mention should be made of i) medical management for the condition and ii) necessary investigations to promptly diagnose site of ectopic varices.