

## ESPS PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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## COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

A few small things: 1. Page number is needed; 2. Do not use "A perfect surveillance program" in the title, use "A better surveillance program" or "An optimal surveillance program" may be acceptable; and 3. A few prepositions are missed in the manuscript.

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This manuscript is an editorial focusing on HCC surveillance of patients with chronic hepatitis B. The author discussed the limitations of the current practice, recent clinical scoring tools for risk estimation, and relevant recent molecular studies. I recommend acceptance of this well written manuscript.