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COMMENTS

COMMENTS TO AUTHORS:

This is an interesting and informative article, detailing important methodology employed for assessing mechanisms of H. pylori drug resistance, and further commenting on the role of clarithromycin resistance in treatment failure. However, the writing style is poor and, in many instances, virtually incomprehensible. The entire manuscript must be re-written. Specific suggestions to the authors regarding major and minor points of concern cannot be made until a revision is submitted.



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These researchers have addressed the problem of clarithromycin-resistance in the treatment of H. pylori infection. They have examined the dimension of such chemoresistance by scrutinising the scientific literature and basing on their own experience. They have also compared the effectiveness of genotypic and phenotypic methods to detect the resistance and made cost/benefit analysis. This excursus is complete and well done. The English is acceptable and clear. Only some correction or misprints are necessary, such as "coretip, polymerse, clarithromicyn" at pages 2, 3 and 4 respectively, to be corrected in "core tip, polymerase and clarithromycin". Finally, H. pylori should be italicized.