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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Li reviewed alterations in cell adhesion proteins and cardiomyopathy. This review is informative and useful for the readers of the Journal. I just have several comments. Some figures or illustrations to help the readers' understanding will be appreciated. Style of the reference section should be modified according to the instructions for the authors.



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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Dr. Li review the different cell adhesion proteins and disease phenotypes and possible molecular mechanisms regarding cardiomyopathy. The manuscript is well written and clearly presented. Some diagrams or figures need to be added in this review.



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1. If possibly, please supply the data about multi-centric, large samples, multicentre clinical trials on the adhesive junction gene mutation and/or polymorphism. 2. If possibly, please supply the mechanism of the adhesive junction gene mutation and/or polymorphism in the cardiomyopathy, especially with arrhythmia. 3. To my knowledge, adhesive junction were not the main disease-causing genes in the DCM, HCM, RCM and ARVC, please supply the percentage/role of adhesive junction gene mutation induced cardiomyopathies in the four cardiomyopathies, respectively. 4. One typographic mistake in page 4 line 22: "histological" should be "histologically"; "ANF" in page 9 line 26 should be indicated the full name for the first appearance (atrial natriuretic factor). 5. The paragraph "Role of adherens junction-associated proteins in animal models of cardiomyopathy" should be written clearly and compactly.