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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The present study is an excellent review of the current perspective of LT for unresectable colorectal liver metastasis confined to the liver. Th authors have covered all the fields starting from the historical perspective to the current criteria for patient selection. My only criticism is regarding the immunosuppression following liver transplantation for CRLM. As far as my knowledge the effect of chemotherapy has not been to be a negative factor following LT. However, there is an ambiguous. A reorganization of this section would strengthen this study.



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This paper is carefully treating a review about the role of liver transplantation in the management of colorectal liver metastases. This is a well written, interesting, and useful contribution, which I think is entirely suitable for publication in WJCO. Although I have no doubt about the quality of the presented work, I recommend to make a list of all past studies' information about liver transplantation for colorectal liver metastases in the section of "recent era" so that the readers can follow easily.