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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The review paper with the title <<Comorbid disease processes associated with increased incidence of acute kidney Injury>> based on literature claims to clarify different obscure points on renal injury in patients with comorbid diseases such as diabetes, cancer, cardiac surgery and HIV infection. The authors describe the pathogenesis of AKI very well and the relation to the above described diseases. However the diseases described as causes of AKI are a few of all the causes so the title has to be adapted according to the text. Also there are a number of publications in 2015 concerning the subject and it would be better if they were added to the text. As well in a number of references the year of publication is missing. (references 2,4,8,14,15,16,17,19,20,24,27,29,30,32,33,35,42,43,44,45,46,47,53,54,56,57,69,70,76) reference 78 pages are missing.



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The review article written by Farooqi and Dickhout is a thorough revision of co-morbid diseases associated with AKI. Suggestions: Page 5 first paragraph: According to AKIN, AKI is defined the way the authors transcribe, but the time frame of creatinine rise is missing. At the end of the first paragraph, it would be illustrative to complete the concept by adding the average percentage of subjects who require renal replacement in ICUs. Page 6. In the second paragraph please add the limitations and pitfalls of using creatinine as the molecule to assess kidney function. In this regard, please write a short comment on TIMP-2 and IGFBP-7 (Ronco C. Blood Purif 2014;38:I–II DOI: 10.1159/000368919). It will be illustrative.