

**Dear Editor:**

Manuscript Number: 57772

We appreciate the editor's and reviewers' evaluation of our manuscript, entitled "Ascaris-mimicking common bile duct stone: A case report" and the opportunity of revision. The manuscript has been carefully revised as suggested and we checked our revised manuscript with the World Journal of Clinical Cases checklist before submission. We highlighted the changes to our manuscript within the document by using colored text with memo. Please see the details below.

**EDITOR & REVIEWER COMMENTS:**

**Reviewer #1:**

Scientific Quality: Grade C (Good)

Language Quality: Grade C (A great deal of language polishing)

Conclusion: Minor revision

Specific Comments to Authors: It is an **Ascaris mimicking CBD stone**. So the title should be changed.

→ Thanks for your comment. We've changed the title to "Ascaris-mimicking common bile duct stone: A case report" as you recommended.

**Editorial Office's comments:**

**E-1. Science Editor:** 1 Scientific quality: The manuscript describes a case report of the Common bile duct stone mimicking Ascaris. The topic is within the scope of the WJCC. (1) Classification: Grade C; (2) Summary of the Peer-Review Report: It is an **Ascaris mimicking CBD stone**, the title should be changed; and (3) Format: There are 2 figures. A total of 14 references are cited, including 2 references published in the last 3 years. There are no self-citations. 2 Language evaluation: Classification: Grade C. A language editing certificate issued by eWorldEditing was provided. 3 Academic norms and rules: The authors provided the signed Conflict-of-Interest Disclosure Form and Copyright License Agreement, and the informed consent. No academic misconduct was found in the CrossCheck detection and Bing search. 4 Supplementary comments: This is an unsolicited manuscript. No financial support

was obtained for the study. The topic has not previously been published in the WJCC. 5 Issues raised: (1) The language classification is Grade C. **Please visit the following website for the professional English language editing companies we recommend:** <https://www.wjgnet.com/bpg/gerinfo/240>; (2) The authors did not provide original pictures. Please provide **the original figure documents**. Please prepare and arrange the figures using PowerPoint to ensure that all graphs or arrows or text portions can be reprocessed by the editor. 6 Re-Review: Required. 7 Recommendation: Conditional acceptance.

- ➔ We've changed the title to "Ascaris-mimicking common bile duct stone: A case report" as you recommended.
- ➔ Following your comment, we got an English language editing from the companies you recommended. The certificate is uploaded.
- ➔ Original figure documents were uploaded.

**E-2. Editorial Office Director:** I have checked the comments written by the science editor. **The author should fill out each item of the CARE checklist with page numbers.** This work was supported by the Soonchunhyang University Research Fund. Please **upload the approved grant application form(s) or funding agency copy of any approval document(s).**

- ➔ As you pointed out, we filled out each item of the CARE checklist with page numbers.
- ➔ The research grant certificate issued by the Soonchunhyang Industry-University Cooperation Foundation is uploaded.

**E-3. Company Editor-in-Chief:** I have reviewed the Peer-Review Report, the full text of the manuscript, and the relevant ethics documents, all of which have met the basic publishing requirements of the World Journal of Clinical Cases, and the manuscript is conditionally accepted. I have sent the manuscript to the author(s) for its revision according to the Peer-Review Report, Editorial Office's comments and the Criteria for Manuscript Revision by Authors. Before final acceptance, **uniform presentation should be used for figures showing the same or similar contents;** for example, "Figure 1 Pathological changes of atrophic gastritis after treatment. A: ...; B: ...; C: ...; D: ...; E: ...; F: ...; G: ...". However, the quality of the English language of the manuscript does not meet the requirements of the journal. Before final acceptance, **the author(s) must provide the English Language Certificate issued by a professional English language editing company.** Please visit the following website for the

professional English language editing companies we recommend:

<https://www.wjgnet.com/bpg/gerinfo/240>.

- ➔ We have amended our figure legends uniformly, as you pointed out.
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