

Format for ANSWERING REVIEWERS

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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 2429-review.doc).

Title: Rupture of a Hepatic Adenoma in a young woman after an abdominal trauma – a case report

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers:

1 Format has been updated

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer # 1 (02444850)

Suggestion # 1: *“I would suggest to change the title to: “Rupture of a hepatic adenoma in a young woman after an abdominal trauma - a case report”*

Reply # 1: The title was modified as suggested

Suggestion # 2: *“In the abstract the text should be changed: first sentence: replace “abdomen” with “abdominal”*

Reply # 2: the word was replaced

Suggestion # 3: *“In the discussion the authors should clearly state that every adenoma exceeding a certain size should be considered to surgical resection.”*

Reply # 3: it was added in the discussion, the following text: *“Furthermore, it should be remembered that HA greater than 5 cm the indication for surgery should be given because of the high risk of tumor-related complications^[21].”*

3 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer # 2 (00289411)

Suggestion # 1: *“Was the lesion already as clearly visible on the CT-scans made after the blunt trauma as stated in the text? Since this is the central point of the article, the authors should include the US and CTs of the trauma event for comparison with the ones made at the second presentation of the patient.”*

Reply # 1: CTs of the trauma event was added, but unfortunately we do not have the ultrasound images.

4 References and typesetting were corrected

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Gastroenterology*.

Sincerely yours,

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