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Dear Editor,

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Title: *Helicobacter pylori* and functional dyspepsia: An unsolved issue?

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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

COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

As above omitting the last sentence

R. Thank you.

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The authors reviewed the relationship between *Helicobacter pylori* infection and functional dyspepsia. The manuscript is well written and the results are very interesting, although the conclusion is highly arguable. Therefore, the reviewer considers it can be accepted. The reviewer's only question is "Are symptoms in patients with *Helicobacter pylori* infected functional dyspepsia those with 'true' functional dyspepsia, or only *Helicobacter pylori* infected gastritis?"

R. The question is right, the answer is lacking! Further, well-designed studies are needed to definitely solve the issue.

3 References and typesetting were corrected

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