

ANSWERS TO REVIEWERS



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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 15956-review.doc).

Title: Ultrasonographic imaging of inflammatory bowel disease in pediatric patients

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

1 Format has been updated

- a) The Copyright Assignment has been signed by each author and has been provided in pdf format.

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer

(1) We have rephrased this sentence: 'Long-standing disease results in fibrosis, in a thickened bowel wall that sonographically appears hypoechoic with loss of the normal stratification.' as 'In long-standing disease the bowel wall is thickened due to fibrosis and it sonographically appears hypoechoic, with loss of normal stratification.' (page 12; line 23);

(2) The acronym BWT has been replaced by the extended meaning (bowel wall thickness) (page 15; line 2);

(3) The subtitle 'Colour Doppler imaging' has been corrected as 'Color Doppler imaging' (page 15; line 13).

3 References and typesetting were corrected

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

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C. F. Dietrich'.

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