

Dear reviewer,

We would like to thank the reviewer for careful and thorough reading of this manuscript and for the thoughtful comments, which help to improve the quality of this manuscript. Our response as follows

General comments: The paper is very good regarding English grammar and syntax. However, there are certain points requiring improvement in syntax. For instance in Page 15 (3rd page of Discussion), line 22: imaging follow up may not be enough for confirm the ...it should be corrected as: ...enough to conform...

Reply: We sent our manuscript to English editing company (Editage) again and correct the grammar and syntax. The changes are highlighted in revised manuscript.

Number of authors of this article is eight. In our first manuscript, there are 8 authors, but only 5 authors whose affiliation of Department of Radiology, Chonnam National University Medical School, Chonnam National University Hwasun Hospital are added in website. Please add other authors who missed (**Sang-Soo Shin**, Department of Radiology, Chonnam National University Medical School, Chonnam National University Hospital, 42 Jebong-ro, Donggu, Gwangju 501-757, Republic of Korea. **Jung-Jun Min, Seong-Young Kwon**, Department of Nuclear Medicine, Chonnam National University Medical School, Chonnam National University Hwasun Hospital, 322 Seoyang-ro Hwasun-eup. Hwasun-gun Jeonnam, Republic of Korea).

I could not find the DIO of reference 2(**Park JM**, Kim YH. Current approaches to gastric cancer in Korea. *Gastrointest Cancer Res* 2008;2:137-144 [PMID: 19259291]), so I've attached the first page of the article as you required.