

Reviewer: The author reviews the retrospective study "Risk Factors and a Predictive Nomogram for Lymph Node Metastasis in Superficial Esophageal Squamous Cell Carcinoma" by Wang J et al., and points out many shortcomings of the article. The deficiencies he points out are also important for readers to understand the risk factors for lymph node metastasis in esophageal cancer

We thank you for the opportunity to submit a revision and for your continued consideration of our Editorial titled "Nomograms and Prognosis for Superficial Esophageal Squamous Cell Carcinoma" for publication in the World Journal of Gastroenterology.

We are also grateful to the reviewers and journal staff who have volunteered their time and expertise to evaluate our manuscript.

Warm regards,
The Authors