

Dear Editor,

Thank you for giving us the opportunity to submit the revised manuscript titled, **“Combined treatments in hepatocellular carcinoma. Time to put them in the guidelines?”** (Manuscript No:6531, Review).

We appreciate all the comments and suggestions, which helped us on improve the quality of our manuscript. The manuscript has been prepared in accordance with *World Journal of Gastroenterology*- Guidelines and Requirements for Manuscript Revision: Review. We would want to state that, the figure 1 is an original figure.

I hereby confirm that this manuscript has not been publish previously, accepted for publication elsewhere and it is not under consideration for publication elsewhere. All authors have contributed significantly to the work and have reviewed and approved the final version of the manuscript.

We hope that our manuscript will be accentuated for publication in *World Journal of gastroenterology*.

Your sincerely,

Dr. med. Pompilia Radu  
corresponding author

Response to the reviewer comments.

Reviewer 1

We would want to thank the reviewer for the comments and classification of the manuscript as very good. We agree with the reviewer comment; however, this subject is very complex and we wanted to discuss this subject in detail.

Your sincerely,  
Dr. med. Pompilia Radu  
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