Dear Editor,

We, the authors of this manuscript entitled "18-Fluoro-deoxyglucose uptake in inflammatory hepatic adenoma: a case report", would like to thank you and the reviewers of our manuscript, for your nice comments. We agree with the reviewers that we do not know what cells are responsible for the FDG uptake, being the inflammatory or not inflammatory cells, as there is no possible PET-FDG microscopy. We cannot draw any conclusion on specificity/sensitivity on one first case. We also cannot compare from one case, PET CT to other diagnosis procedure as MRI and biopsy. We therefore add sentences as the end of the discussion on this issue and the need for further prospective evaluation of the role of PET-FDG on HCA evaluation. We also labeled the figures 3 & 4, as required.

We hope that these corrections will allow the publication of our manuscript in WJH.

Sincerely,

Olivier Detry