ESPS JOURNAL EDITOR-IN-CHIEF'S REVIEW REPORT

Name of journal: World Journal of Gastroenterology
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Title: Radiofrequency ablation for treatment of hypersplenism: A feasible therapeutic option
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ACADEMIC CONTENT EVALUATION	LANGUAGE QUALITY EVALUATION	CONCLUSION
[ ] Grade A: Excellent	[ ] Grade A: Priority publishing	[ ] Accept
[ ] Grade B: Very good	[Y] Grade B: Minor language polishing	[ ] High priority for publication
[Y] Grade C: Good	[ ] Grade C: A great deal of	
[ ] Grade D: Fair	language polishing	[Y] Revision
[ ] Grade E: Poor	[ ] Grade D: Rejected	[ ] Rejection

JOURNAL EDITOR-IN-CHIEF (ASSOCIATE EDITOR) COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

There are 10 publications in PubMed dealing with RFA and hypersplenism. Can be published if space allows, but the better choice would be the World J. of Hepatology.

Answering:

Our group were really looking forward to contribute and publish the article in World Journal of Gastroenterology, so if possible we still would like to do it, first because of its quality and scientific importance, and second because we would like to disclose this alternative procedure we believe is very effective and beneficial for patients with hypersplenism.

I kindly ask you to evaluate the possibility of publishing this article in World Journal of Gastroenterology, since this was our goal from the beginning of this project.