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

This is a good review where authors summary the current literature on the evidence of the metabolic syndrome on retinopathy in subjects with and without diabetes and discuss some of the mechanisms about metabolic syndrome contributing to the development of retinopathy. It is suggested to high a high priority to be accepted for publication in WJD.