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<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> High priority for publication
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<input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Poor		

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

The above manuscript is clinically important and a challenging problem in dialysis population. The authors have presented the message quite clearly which is hyper parathyroid modules which are more serious than those without parathyroid modules. Comments: 1. Not standing with validity of surgical treatment of parathyroid modules and improvement of the condition, many nephrologists are treating these patients with calcimimetics sensipar with decrease in PTH and size of the modules. The authors didn't compare the effects. 2. There are many comings short such as discussion is too long for a solitary message. Discussion should be shortened to focus on the surgical therapy. 3. The author has stated repeatedly metabolic bone disorders but no data were presented on bone biopsy or vitamin D levels. Even there is no data on bone density. 4. Abbreviation RRT should be clarified. 5. Too many tables and references. Overall, good study but requires condensation to make it focused.