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**SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

Reviewer's report Title: Role of Botulinum Toxin A in the Management of Complex Incisional Hernias Date: March 3, 2019 Reviewer's report: The Editorial is well designed. It clearly, shortly, and precisely described the Role of Botulinum Toxin A in the management of incisional hernias, especially complex hernias, suggesting that further



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studies are needed ( large randomized clinical trials) certifying the initial results. This Editorial can spur the scientists to initiate serious clinical trials studying the effects of Botulinum Toxin A in the management of complex incisional hernias, optimal time and dose administration, side effects, and long-term outcomes. Title: The title of the Editorial is OK Abstract: is OK Core tip: is OK Introduction: is OK Study analysis: is OK Perspective: is OK References: are OK

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The authors present an editorial on the use of Botox in the management of incisional hernia. Since this is an editorial, only little valid data are included. Obviously the use of Botox is still some sort of experimental and has not yet been established. It seems an interesting concept, which requires well designed studies to proof the concept.



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