

ESPS PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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Title: MRI for diagnosis and neoadjuvant treatment evaluation in locally advanced rectal cancer: a pictorial review

Reviewer's code: 02683307

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> The same title	<input type="checkbox"/> High priority for publication
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Duplicate publication	<input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejected	<input type="checkbox"/> Plagiarism	<input type="checkbox"/> Minor revision
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Poor		<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Major revision
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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This is well written review article.

Comment to the reviewer (Code 02683307)

Thank you very much for your favorable replay.

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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This is an interesting review article describing the importance of MRI imaging for evaluation of rectal cancer staging both in pre- and post-neoadjuvant chemoradiotherapy (CRT). The imaging protocol is well written. For evaluation of the effect of neoadjuvant CRT, T2 weighed image and diffusion weight image (DWI) seem valuable for detection of viable cancer, although there are some false positive and negative cases experienced especially when post-CRT disease status is evaluated. I have some minor comments as listed below. Minor comments Page 2 line 6 "changes" is duplicated. Figure 3 In the right figure, where is the arrow for "Mucosa" pointed? Figure 4 In the right figure, "puborectal sling" is misspelled. In the left figure, "S" should be "IS". In many of the figures, subtitles (a) - (d) are missing.

Comment to reviewer (code 01588974)

Thank you very much for your favorable replay.

To replay to the minor comments:

- Page 2 line 6--- "changes" is duplicated.

- The word “changes” double is corrected.
- Figure 3 In the right figure, where is the arrow for “Mucosa” pointed?
 - The marked arrow for "mucosa" was placed at the right area.
- Figure 4
 - In the right figure, “puborectal sling” is misspelled.
 - The misspelled “puborectal sling” is corrected.
 - In the left figure, “S” should be “IS” .
 - “S” is corrected as IS
- In many of the figures, subtitles (a) - (d) are missing.
 - Subtitles such as a and d which are missing in the figures have been added.

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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Good idea and very good review

Comment to reviewer (code 03004150)

Thank you very much for your favorable replay.

