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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS
This is a good overview, but the first problem is that you cannot have a one-page long conclusions section. This part can be moves to discussions and have only short conclusions. Please rewrite this part. Other aspects -page 3 – NAFLD …that 59% progress to NASH. Reference? -page 5 – Povero et al… healthy controls with histologically confirmed NASH – delete healthy -page 16 – NAFLD and NASH (not NAS) Revise the discussion section to put together all information presented and give short conclusions. This will give quality to the paper.