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<b>Language quality</b>	[ ] Grade A: Priority publishing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing [ ] Grade C: A great deal of language polishing [ ] Grade D: Rejection
<b>Conclusion</b>	[ ] Accept (High priority) [ ] Accept (General priority) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Minor revision [ ] Major revision [ ] Rejection
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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

This is an excellent study about the robotic radical resection of hepatic echinococcosis. The treatment methods for hepatic echinococcosis include operation, medication, and puncture and drainage. Radical resection remains the primary treatment for CE2, CE3, and AE. The treatment methods in this study is very important and useful to the clinicians. Due to the hepatic echinococcosis cases are rare and difficult to collect large samples. In this study, the authors conducted on the clinical data of 5 patients with cystic and alveolar echinococcosis in difficult liver lesions admitted to two centers. The operation methods included total pericystectomy, segmental hepatectomy, or hemihepatectomy. The operation methods are described in detail. The results are very interesting. I recommend to accept this manuscript for publication after a minor language editing.



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I read this study carefully, and found that the study is well designed, and the results are interesting. As we know, the hepatic echinococcosis located in posterosuperior liver segments are very rare, and the treatment for this condition is difficulty. The treatment methods for hepatic echinococcosis include operation, medication, and puncture and drainage, and laparoscopic treatment is increasing. However, the posterosuperior region of the liver is considered to be where difficult lesions reside and remains the most challenging region for complex laparoscopic hepatectomy. The da Vinci Surgical System is an advanced and minimally invasive surgery tool. It has been shown to have advantages in complex hepatectomy. In this brief study, the safety and preliminary experience of robotic radical resection of cystic and alveolar echinococcosis in posterosuperior liver segments are explored. As this disease is rare, although the sample size is not so large, I think it's enough for a positive results. The hepatectomy progress in this study is very detail, it's very useful to the clinician. In my opinion, this study should be accepted for publication after a minor editing. I have no specific comments. Well done, congratulations!



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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

Very interesting study of robotic radical resection for hepatic echinococcosis. The manuscript is very well written. Only some minor language editing is required. No other specific comments.



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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

This study is very interesting. The manuscript requires a minor editing. The surgical procedure is very clearly described, and is useful to the clinicians. Please change the color of the arrows in the figure 2, not easy to read.