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Dear Editor:

Last December I was invited by *World Journal of Gastroenterology* to write a review article about Hepatocellular Carcinoma: Progress and Challenges. Reviewers suggested that *World Journal of Hepatology* will be a better option to publish my article.

I have read your suggestions carefully and made the necessary modifications. First of all, I added the word "screening" in article title, to assure that it contains reference to proposals of screening protocol.

In the title page I also have included a running title and author contributions, as suggested.

I modified the core tips, including the answers to the scientific questions and finally, I added a conclusion section, as requested. All of the modifications are highlighted in the revised manuscript.

Further, we believe that this paper will be of interest to the readership of your journal because it sums up very important information about the treatment of HCC by liver transplantation.

This manuscript has not been published or presented anywhere else in part or in entirety and is not under consideration by another journal. We have read and understood your journal's policies, and we believe that neither the manuscript violates any of these. There are no conflicts of interest to declare.

Thank you for your consideration. I look forward to hear from you.

Sincerely,

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