Author’s response to reviews

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Dear Editor,

I am very pleased that the manuscript could be considered for publication. In present version I have corrected the manuscript according to reviewers’ suggestions.

In detail:

a) Referee 1 still feels that there could be further improvement in the English usage of the manuscript (…) I have revised the English language with the assistance of a mother tongue professional translator.

b) The evidence that this case shows an autoimmune etiology remains relatively weak (…) it seems too strong to definitely say that an autoimmune mechanism was involved. We would request that you soften this conclusion (…)

I have soften this conclusion, speculating that the features of the case may only suggest an autoimmune mechanism, avoiding any definitive statement (see abstract, line 3: “… with some autoimmune features”; page 7, line 10: “…temporal relationship…and the presence of ANA… are suggestive of an autoimmune mechanism” instead of “are consistent”; page 7, line 15: “… anastrozole-induced hepatitis” instead of “…anastrozole-induced autoimmune hepatitis”.

I hope that in this revised form the manuscript may be fit for publication on BMC Gastroenterology.

Yours sincerely,

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