Reviewer's report

Title: A Unique Coexistence: Mirizzi Type IV and cholecystocolic fistula in one patient.

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Reviewer: Rakesh Tandon

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General
It is an interesting report but of limited value as Cholecystoenteric fistulae are not uncommonly associated with Mirizzi's syndrome.

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Major Compulsory Revisions (that the author must respond to before a decision on publication can be reached)

The normal practice in writing a case report is to give a brief introduction but somewhat longer discussion to highlight the interesting point raised by the particular case. In this case report this pattern is reversed i.e. a long introduction but very little discussion. I suggest that the usual practice be adopted and the point raised by this particular case particularly the need to clarify the local anatomy prior to surgery needs to be emphasized in the discussion.

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Minor Essential Revisions (such as missing labels on figures, or the wrong use of a term, which the author can be trusted to correct)

There are several syntax errors. They need to be corrected.

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Discretionary Revisions (which the author can choose to ignore)

I will be happy to see the revised version.

What next?: Accept after minor essential revisions

Level of interest: An article of limited interest

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests.