Reviewer's report

Title: Familial adenomatous polyposis of the colon

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This is a review article about the FAP, takes into account both the history of this disease and modern approach to diagnosis, and treatment and prevention. Very detailed variants of the disease, extra alimentary additional symptoms and modern approach in terms of genetic and bio-molecular aspects of the disease have been shown. The authors also cite their own experience in the field of bio-molecular assessment. In my opinion the article exhaustive resource of contemporary knowledge of the FAP, contains clear illustrations of molecular diagnostics and pathophysiology of the diseases. English is very well making the manuscript clear and comprehensive. I don’t feel that any there is the necessity of major compulsory revisions or even minor essential revisions and I strongly recommend the manuscript for publication.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

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'