



SDI EDITORIAL COMMENTS FORM

EDITORIAL COMMENT'S on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to editor's comments
<p>Still certain points need to be properly clarified:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. First is the exclusion section, the authors didn't exclude or even mention that the patient who has received previous radiation therapy has been excluded from the study I believe this is very important to exclude any possible bias in this study.2. Secondly, the authors mentioned that they have excluded certain patients from the study for different reasons but in the results I didn't find any referral for the exact number that has been excluded ; each group started and ended with 30 patients!	<p>1.I HAVE MENTIONED ABOUT EXCLUSION OF UROGENITAL CARCINOMA. PREVIOUS RADITHERAPY FOR ANY MALIGNANCY AND COMPLETELY TREATED MALIGNANCY HAVE NO RELATION TO DJ RELATED SYMPTOMS, SO THEY CAN BE INCLUDED AFTER COMPLETE TREATMENT OF MALIGNANCY.</p> <p>2.EXCLUDED PATIENTS ARE NOT MENTIONED IN RESULT BECAUSE THEY DONT MEET OUR INCLUSION CRITERIA. ONLY THOSE PATIENTS WHO DEVELOPED DJ RELATED SYMPTOMS WERE INCLUDED AND HENCE RESULT IS ALSO ANALYSIS BETWEEN GROUPS. TO BE UNBAISED WE INCLUDED 30 PATIENTS IN ALL THREE GROUPS SO THAT RESULT CAN BE COMPARED EQUALLY IN ALL THREE GROUPS</p>