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PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
Compulsory REVISION comments	Title Preferred add Possible relationship..... Abstract Line 17 high risk HCC among non HCV related patients ? Revise Introduction Lack introduction to MMPs gene family Line 57 and 58 preferred after line 53 Line 56 MMP1 and 3 they are neighbors replaced by cluster of gene family Line 79 to line 83 preferred in discussion starting with Chen et al., Subjects and Methods Line 120 10 UL or 100 ng revise..... Result Line 159 significant $p > 0.05$ revise Table 4 Revise statistics and % (mistakes) Discussion Lack of references and details about HCC and cancer in general Author mention very few references 4-6 MMP polymorphism in other cancer types	



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<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments	Discussion Line 239 to 244 revise	
<u>Optional/General</u> comments	Same polymorphism might play different role in different tissue.....should mention in discussion Polymorphism alone could increase the risk but there is additional factor should be present for cancer to develop..... Could infection with Hepatitis B virus increase or decrease risk ? could change virus type alter risk to HCC Group of hepatitis B virus preferred added.....	

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