

Review of: "[Review Article] Pitavastatin: A Comprehensive Overview of its Mechanisms, Pharmacokinetics, Pharmacodynamics, and Adverse Effects"

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The authors made a good effort, but there are a few suggestions:

1. The text should be arranged according to the sequence mentioned in the title, i.e., firstly the mechanism of action, then pharmacokinetics, then pharmacodynamics, and lastly adverse effects.
2. The words "in vitro" and "in vivo" should be italicized.
3. There is a need to rewrite the abstract. The abbreviations used in the abstract are not explained.
4. The mechanism of action should be discussed separately, not as a subheading (3.1) of heading 3 (pharmacodynamics).
5. In heading 4.1, the distribution of the drug and protein binding is not included.
6. The heading 5 and subheading 5.1 are not matching with the title; they should not be explained as separate headings.
7. The adverse effects of the drug are not included as mentioned in the title.
8. In the heading 7, "other side effects," there is a need to rewrite.