

Review of: "[Short Communication] Individual opinions on the excessive and under diagnosis and treatment of thyroid cancer"

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This article elucidated that more accurate pathological diagnosis can avoid excessive diagnosis and treatment of thyroid cancer and underdiagnosis and undertreatment of thyroid cancer from the perspective of pathology. We agree with your opinion, but your opinion that “ surgical treatment for asymptomatic papillary microcarcinoma and RFA for primary thyroid cancer may also be true excessive treatment.” still needs further discussion. Asymptomatic PTMC patients may already have lymph node metastasis and extrathyroidal extension, and require standardized surgical treatment. Meanwhile, RFA can not be used as a treatment for primary thyroid cancer. Therefore, RFA treatment of thyroid cancer cannot be considered as excessive treatment.