Peer Review

Review of: "Effectiveness of the PAS for Diagnosing the Severity of Acute Appendicitis in Children: A Cohort Study"

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Thank you for doing me the honor of reviewing this article.

The introduction of the study is clear and concise. It explains the importance of conducting this study.

Such a study can be performed retrospectively, but it would be better if the sample size were larger, because it would have greater scientific significance.

The criteria for inclusion and exclusion in the study are strict enough.

The statistical methods applied in this study are appropriate and precisely documented.

The results are clearly presented without bias and repetition, and show the diagnostic value of PAS.

Tables and graphs present data in an objective manner.

The discussion is quite detailed, but it could also refer to other modern diagnostic tools and compare these results with the reports in the literature.

The conclusion is well written and appropriate.

The references are recent and relate to the analyzed problem.

The article is overall well-structured. The length of the article is appropriate. The sentences are well-structured, and there is an adequate flow of ideas.

This manuscript certainly explains the diagnostic value of PAS in the treatment of acute appendicitis in the pediatric population.

Declarations

Potential competing interests: No potential competing interests to declare.