

## **Retracted: Comparison of Oral versus Intravenous Proton Pump Inhibitors in Preventing Re-bleeding from Peptic Ulcer after Successful Endoscopic Therapy**

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Cureus was recently alerted to similarities between this article and an article published in the October 2018 issue of the Middle East Journal of Digestive Diseases (MEJDD):

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