# **Review Form 1.6**

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	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)
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments	<ol> <li>1.The title should be modified slightly to reflect focus of this study vis-à-vis cholecystitis</li> <li>2. Was this a prospective or retrospective study?</li> <li>3. If prospective, the methodology was grossly inadequate. The inclusion and exclusion criteria were not clearly spelt out.</li> <li>3. What was the criteria for diagnosis of cholecystitis in these patients?</li> <li>4. Did any of the patient have cholelithiasis?</li> <li>5. In the Patients and methods section there was no statement about gall bladder wall thickness being measured. Yet the conclusion was largely all about wall thickness.</li> <li>6. Was the study about factors predicting conversion to open cholecystectomy of which wall thickness may just have been one factor</li> </ol>	
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