Author's response to reviews

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Dear Editorial Staff,

I have enclosed the revised version of manuscript 5778961194277530 - “Ureaplasma parvum infection alters filamin A dynamics in host cells” with the requested revisions. Below is the summary of your requests in italicized text. My comments can be found immediately below in regular text format:

**Major revisions (we require the author to make these changes)**

1) Abstract: please ensure that the Abstract is present in the manuscript and matches exactly what is in the submission system.
   Latest abstract has been uploaded on the BMC website and is also present within the body of the manuscript.

2) Authors' contributions: Please indicate that all authors read and approved the final manuscript.
   This statement has been added to the end of this section in the manuscript. All authors have reviewed the final version of the manuscript.

3) References: Please make sure references are cited in numerical order. We notice reference 44 is not cited within the main text. Please make sure references continue to be cited in numerical order once this reference is cited.
   Reference 44 belongs in the manuscript. This citation has been inserted in the proper order on page 19.

4) Figures: The first figure referenced in the manuscript text should be Figure 1. The second, figure 2, etc. Please reorder the figure citation so that they are cited in consecutive order. All figures must be cited; figures not cited will be excluded from the final manuscript. Please do not use ranges when listing figures. Please list all the figures, for example: Figures 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9.
   This has been corrected. The mention of the second figure in the methods section of the manuscript has been removed. The figures are now in the correct order.

**Minor revisions (we can make these changes for you, although it will speed up publication of your manuscript if you do them while making the major changes above)**

Highlighting/tracking: Please remove all highlighting and tracking from the manuscript.
Highlighting and tracking has been removed.

Typography: Please take this opportunity to check your manuscript for any typographical errors and to make any final corrections or revisions.
We have reviewed the manuscript and hopefully have identified and corrected all of the typographical errors.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

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