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Dear Dr. Chen,

Thank you for your recent correspondence regarding our manuscript entitled “Virulence difference between the prototypic Schu S4 strain (A1a) and Francisella tularensis A1a, A1b, A2 and type B strains in a murine model of infection” for publication in BMC Infectious Diseases. We thank the reviewer’s for a second evaluation of our manuscript and have made the change requested. We are submitting this revised manuscript along with our response to the reviewer’s comment (see below).

Reviewer #1 Qingmei Jia:
Comment: Reviewer asked that we clarify the route of infection since we wrote intradermal in the methods and subcutaneous in the abstract.

-We are grateful to the reviewer for catching this mistake. We have corrected this by writing intradermal in the abstract to match what is in the methods.

We look forward to hearing from you regarding this manuscript.

Sincerely,

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