Author's response to reviews

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Dear PD Dr. Stamm,

Thank you for the reviewer’s comments, who suggested to add important references and to give a more detailed report on integrin and tenascin C gene expression after bisphosphonate application. Therefore, we cited the publication of Otto et al.

Table 2 provides a detailed report of the integrin αVβ3 and Tenascin c gene expression after stimulation by bisphosphonates. We carefully read the reviewers’ comments and recommendations and unfortunately have to agree to the criticism. In closing we would like to express our appreciation for all the value inputs which will greatly improve the quality of this paper. All changes done in the manuscript are marked red.

We hope the manuscript is worth to be considered for publication now.

Sincerely Yours

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