Author’s response to reviews

Title: Impact of pulsed xenon ultraviolet disinfection on surface contamination in a hospital facility’s expressed human milk feed preparation area

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Dear Editor

Once again thank you for the feedback and guidance

As requested please find attached the revised manuscript

1. As per request the subsections of the abstract have been correctly applied

2. The proper terminology of the study design 'quasi-experimental study' has been applied throughout the manuscript

3. The author and co-author have reviewed the interpretation of the data and reframed and restructured small aspects of the article to address issues such as

Association between UV and reduced bioburden

Wording of the aim

Elimination of non-common abbreviation

Recheck all the data and amended confidence intervals and risk ratios for the geometric mean

Revised the conclusion

Rearranged the manuscript flow
4. Table 1 has been rewritten to clarify data better

Kind regards

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