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We wish to express our appreciation to the Editor and Reviewers for their insightful comments.

Comment 1

Thank you for providing an ‘Availability of data and materials’ subheading. However, we cannot currently accept the ‘NA’ statement provided as it does not meet our editorial policies (see http://www.biomedcentral.com/getpublished/editorial-policies#DataandMaterialRelease). Submission of a manuscript to a BioMed Central journal implies that materials described in the manuscript, including all relevant raw data, will be freely available to any scientist wishing to use them for non-commercial purposes, without breaching participant confidentiality.

Response 1

We misunderstood about ‘Availability of data and materials’. We wish to share our data described in this manuscript. The datasets during and/or analysed during the current study available from the corresponding author on reasonable request.

Comment 2
We note that abbreviations used in the manuscript text have not been included in the ‘List of Abbreviations’ section. Please ensure that all abbreviations present in the text (such as HPV) are listed in this section.

Response 2

In accordance with the comment, we listed all abbreviations in ‘Abbreviations’ section.

Abbreviations

HPV: human papillomavirus  Pap: Papanicolaou  CIN: cervical intraepithelial neoplasia

MRI: Magnetic Resonance Imaging

Comment 3

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Response 3

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We wish to thank the Editor and Reviewers again for their valuable comments.