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Dear Editors,

Thank you again for reviewing of our paper. We have carefully read your comments and we have modified the manuscript accordingly. Please find enclosed a point-by-point response.
While we hope that you will find this revised version of the manuscript acceptable for publication as an original article in “BMC Pulmonary Medicine”, we will be happy to respond to further comments, should they occur.

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Editor’s comment 1

We notice you state that the List of abbreviations is "Not applicable," however we see abbreviations used in the text. If abbreviations are used in the text, they should be defined in the text at first use and included in this list.

Response to Editor’s comment 1

We thank the Editor for this comment. We have completed the List of abbreviations section as appropriate.

Editor’s comment 2

In the ethics approval section of your Declarations, please indicate if consent obtained to participate was written or verbal.

Response to Editor’s comment 2

We thank the Editor for this comment. We have modified the Declarations section indicating that the obtained consent was written.

Editor’s comment 3

Please note that the Consent for publication statement refers to consent obtained to include any individual person’s data in any form (including individual details, images or videos). Therefore, please state "Not applicable" in this section as no personal information is provided in your manuscript.
Response to Editor’s comment 3

We thank the Editor for this comment. We have amended the “Consent for publication” section accordingly.

Editor’s comment 4

We notice there are two 'Competing interests' and 'Authors' contributions' sections in your manuscript. Please ensure there is only one of each section provided under Declarations.

Response to Editor’s comment 4

We thank the Editor for this comment. We have amended the Declarations section accordingly.

Editor’s comment 5

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Response to Editor’s comment 5

We thank the Editor for this comment. We have uploaded figures in chronological order.