Author's response to reviews

Title: Inhibition of Interleukin-1beta-Stimulated Dedifferentiation of Chondrocytes via Controlled Release of CrmA from hyaluronic acid-Chitosan Microspheres

Authors:

Bei-lei Ma (ma_bella@163.com)
Pang-hu Zhou (zhoupanghu@gmail.com)
Ting Xie (xieting26@126.com)
Lei Shi (shilei19801980@126.com)
Bo Qiu (drgb123@163.com)
Qian Wang (sd.wangqian@163.com)

Version: 5 Date: 27 January 2015

Author's response to reviews: see over
Dear Editor:
Thank you for your email. We have given point-by-point responses to the concerns.

1. Please remove the current figure 4 in the manuscript and replace it with the one that has the normalized to 1 million cells in the axis. Also, I just noticed that only two out of the 4 panels on figure 1 have scale bars, please add scale bars to each image, or if they are all the same magnification, please say this in the figure legend.

We have replaced the figure 4 in the manuscript as indicated. Meanwhile, we have added scale bars to each image. Please check it.

2. We recommend that you copyedit the paper to improve the style of written English. If this is not possible, you may need to use a professional language editing service. For authors who wish to have the language in their manuscript edited by a native-English speaker with scientific expertise, BioMed Central recommends Edanz (www.edanzediting.com/bmc1). BioMed Central has negotiated a 10% discount to the fee charged to BioMed Central authors by Edanz. Use of an editing service is neither a requirement nor a guarantee of acceptance for publication. For more information, see our FAQ on language editing services at http://www.biomedcentral.com/authors/authorfaq/editing.

We don’t intent to copyedit our paper due to the deadline. However, if there were any serious problems with the quality of written English, please contact us, and we will make some improvements.

3. Please reformat your figures and tables.

We have checked our figures and table to make sure they can meet the requirement. If there were still some problems, please point them out. Thank you!

Best wishes.
Panghu Zhou