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Title: Can hybrid hyaluronic acid represent a valid approach to treat rizoarthrosis? A retrospective comparative study

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Dear Editor,

According to your comments, we made the requested modifications.

We hope the paper will now be acceptable for publication in your journal.

Thank you very much.

Your sincerely,

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1. “In the Ethics approval and consent to participate section of the Declarations, please confirm whether written or verbal consent was obtained from all participants and clearly state this.”

We made modifications in the section “Declarations” (Section “Declarations”, page 17, line 387-392).

2. “Please note that consent for publication refers to consent for the publication of identifying images or other personal or clinical details of participants that compromise anonymity. Seeing as this is not applicable to your manuscript please state “Not Applicable” in this section.”

We added “not applicable” in this section (Section “Declarations”, page 17, line 394).

3. “We would also like to ask for you to provide more justification for the contributions of Mauro Galeazzi, as currently they do not automatically qualify for authorship. Contribution to approving the final draft, alone, does not usually justify authorship. “

We provided more justification for the contributions of Mauro Galeazzi (Section “Declarations”, page 17, line 405-406).