Author’s response to reviews

Title: Efficacy of platelet-rich plasma in arthroscopic repair for discoid lateral meniscus tears

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Dear Dr. Sondos Majeed:

On behalf of my co-authors, we thank you very much for giving us an opportunity to revise our manuscript, we appreciate reviewers very much for their positive and constructive comments and suggestions on our manuscript entitled "Efficacy of platelet-rich plasma in arthroscopic repair for discoid lateral meniscus tears".

We have revised the manuscript according to the comments and suggestions of reviewers, and responded, point by point to, the comments as listed below.

We would like to re-submit this revised manuscript to "BMC Musculoskeletal Disorders", and hope it is acceptable for publication in the journal. Looking forward to hearing from you soon.

With kindest regards,

Jian Wang
Response to Technical Comments

Response to comment: Please upload a clean revised manuscript that does not contain any tracked changes or highlighting as your main article file.

Response: Thanks for your comment. The revised manuscript does not contain any tracked changes or highlighting.

Response to Editor's comments

Response to comment: Thank you for stating 'Prior to enrolment in the study, all participants gave signed informed consent after receiving written and oral information.' Could you please confirm in your statement whether parental consent was obtained for participants under 16.

Response: Thanks for your comment. Prior to enrolment in the study, all participants gave signed informed consent after receiving written and oral information, in addition participants younger than 16 had to bring written permission from their guardians. These have been added into the paper on line 245 and 246.