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Thank you for your careful review of our manuscript entitled "Frequency and genotypes of Chlamydia trachomatis in patients attending the obstetrics and gynecology clinics in Jalisco,
We have considered the reviewers’ comments and respond as follows:

Daman Saluja (Reviewer 1): Accept without revision

The authors have revised the manuscript adequately and added all the relevant information in the revised manuscript.

We thank the reviewers for their comments in this review and hope that the responses and modifications help clarify the manuscript. We believe that the manuscript has been strengthened as a result of this process.

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- Ethics approval and consent to participate

This study was performed with the approval of the Local Ethics Committee of the Hospital Civil de Guadalajara "Fray Antonio Alcalde" in Jalisco, Mexico (approval no. 062/13). Written informed consent was obtained from all patients or, for minors, from caretakers or guardians.

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