

ANSWERING REVIEWERS



Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in word format (file name: 16559-review.doc).

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers:

1 Format has been updated.

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer:

Reviewer 00502977: Table 1 is lacking and few typos need to be corrected.

Response: reference to Table 1 has been removed. Few typos have been corrected, highlighted in yellow in the revised manuscript.

Reviewer 01991319: Please in the key words replace interleuchin-1 by interleukin-1. -In page 6 it is mentioned "tab 1 (da fare)". Please, either include the table or delete that sentence.

Response: we corrected the typing of "interleukin-1". We deleted the reference to the missing table.

Reviewer 00503125: Although there is a lot of interesting information provided, I do not appreciate much that is new here.

Response: unfortunately the reviewer didn't give any reason why he didn't like what's new in this manuscript. Nevertheless, he may be reassured by the fact that several leading groups in the field of autoinflammatory disorders are sharing results and conclusions similar to ours. In particular, the problem of undifferentiated periodic fevers has emerged also in a couple of studies published in the last month, to whom we added reference in the text (Cantarini L et al. The labyrinth of autoinflammatory disorders: a snapshot on the activity of a third-level center in Italy. *Clinical rheumatology* 2015, 34:17-28; Federici S et al: Evidence-based provisional clinical classification criteria for autoinflammatory periodic fevers. *Annals of the rheumatic diseases* 2015).

3 References and typesetting were corrected.

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Clinical Pediatrics*.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Alberto Tommasini'.

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