

Format for ANSWERING REVIEWERS

May 26, 2015

Dear Editor,



Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 17594-Review.doc).

Title: *Reducing ARDS Occurrence using Mechanical Ventilation*

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Name of Journal: *World Journal of Respiriology*

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

1. 17594-edited has been updated to 17594-edited_resubmission.
2. Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer

(1) **Critique:** The paper needs to be simplified

(2) **Response:** We have removed several section of complex text and eliminated figures 2, 4, 5, 10, 14 and we have changed the title.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Gary Nieman'.

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