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Dear Authors, Thanks for your excellent manuscript Cordially

We thank the reviewer for the positive comments.

Reviewer 2

This review article highlighted a delayed fracture healing with aging. This article is well-written and interesting.

We thank the reviewer for the positive comments.

Reviewer 3

This is an interesting study with valuable information regarding the effects of stem and progenitor cells on bone fracture. It also summarized some potentials which are available for cell therapy in the future. Only one suggestion for the authors is that the conclusion should be more concise.

We thank the reviewer for the positive comments. We edited the concluding paragraph from 202 to 146 words.

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