

Dear editors and reviewers,

We deeply appreciate your valuable comments, suggestions and efficient work to improve our manuscript entitled “Epidemiological features and dynamic changes in blood biochemical indexes for COVID-19 patients in Hebi” (manuscript ID: 69905 to *World Journal of Clinical Cases*) in the tough times of COVID-19 pandemic. Wish you all the best!

It is our great honor to reply all your precious comments and suggestions. We have made changes according to your previous advices in the revised manuscript and listed all the modifications in detail as follows:

Reviewer #1:

Comment-*The authors have done evaluation of dynamic changes laboratory parameters in COVID-19. My comments are*

- 1. The novelty of the study evaluation dynamic changes in every laboratory that represent severity of covid-19*
- 2. In the discussion should be added the laboratory the represent could predict the severity. This meta could help DOI: 10.1016/j.ajem.2020.12.076*
- 3. The pathophysiology of cardiac involvement in COVID-19 should also be added doi: 10.1016/j.ijcha.2020.100557*
- 4. Hemoglobin can also predict severity of covid 19 DOI: 10.1016/j.transci.2020.102926*

Response: We deeply appreciate your positive evaluation of this manuscript and gave us another chance to correct. According to your precious suggestions, we cited these articles and briefly discussed them in the discussion part, please check them in the revised manuscript and new citations (No. 23, 27 and 34). Moreover, we updated the epidemiological data of COVID-19 and some new citations.

EDITORIAL OFFICE'S COMMENTS

Issues raised: (1) The title is too long, and it should be no more than 18 words;

Response: We deeply appreciate your positive evaluation of this manuscript and gave us another chance to correct. According to your precious suggestions, we simplified the title, please check it in revised manuscript.

(2) The “Author Contributions” section is missing. Please provide the author contributions;

Response: According to your precious suggestions, we provide the author contributions with revised manuscript.

(3) The authors did not provide the approved grant application form(s). Please upload the approved grant application form(s) or funding agency copy of any approval document(s);

Response: According to your precious suggestions, we deleted related information.

(4) The authors did not provide original pictures. Please provide the original figure documents. Please prepare and arrange the figures using PowerPoint to ensure that all graphs or arrows or text portions can be reprocessed by the editor;

Response: According to your precious suggestions, we provide the original figures with PowerPoint format with revised manuscript.

(5) PMID numbers are missing in the reference list. Please provide the PubMed numbers to the reference list and list all authors of the references. Please revise throughout;

Response: According to your precious suggestions, we revised the reference part and make sure new references have PubMed numbers and list all authors, please check them in revised manuscript.

(6) The “Article Highlights” section is missing. Please add the “Article Highlights” section at the end of the main text; and

Response: According to your precious suggestions, we added the “Article Highlights” section at the end of the main text, please check it in revised manuscript.

(7) It is unacceptable to have more than 3 references from the same journal. To resolve

this issue and move forward in the peer-review/publication process, the authors must revise the reference list accordingly.

Response: According to your precious suggestions, we revised the reference list and make sure new references have no more than 3 references from the same journal, please check it in revised manuscript.

(2) Company editor-in-chief:

Please provide decomposable Figures (in which all components are movable and editable), organize them into a single PowerPoint file. Please authors are required to provide standard three-line tables, that is, only the top line, bottom line, and column line are displayed, while other table lines are hidden. The contents of each cell in the table should conform to the editing specifications, and the lines of each row or column of the table should be aligned. Do not use carriage returns or spaces to replace lines or vertical lines and do not segment cell content.

Response: According to your precious suggestions, we provide the decomposable Figures and organize them into a single PowerPoint file, and provide standard three-line tables. Please check them in revised manuscript.

We hope that the changes having been made to the manuscript and answers meet to your satisfaction. Please accept our sincere appreciation for reconsidering this manuscript.