

## **Response to Editor & Reviewer's Comments**

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Dear Editor:

We would like to re-submit the attached manuscript entitled “Recovery of brachial plexus injury after bronchopleural fistula closure surgery based on electrodiagnostic study : A case report. The manuscript NO is 77959.

The manuscript has been carefully rechecked and appropriate changes have been made in accordance with the editors’ and reviewers’ suggestions. As requested, the revisions have been indicated in **red text** in the revised manuscript. The responses to their comments have been prepared and attached herewith.

We thank you and the reviewers for the thoughtful suggestions and insights, which have enriched the manuscript and produced a more balanced and better account of the research. We hope that the revised manuscript is now suitable for publication in your journal.

Thank you for your consideration. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,  
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## REVIEWER & ASSOCIATE EDITOR COMMENTS

Authors must revise the manuscript according to the Editorial Office's comments and suggestions, which are listed below:

### (1) Science editor:

The manuscript has been peer-reviewed, and it's ready for the first decision.

Language Quality: Grade B (Minor language polishing)

Scientific Quality: Grade C (Good)

**Response:** Thank you for your comments. We hope that this paper will be of great help to clinicians in various fields. For the better language quality as you commented, we have made English proofreading through professional English language editing company once again. Editing certificate is attached below.



### (2) Company editor-in-chief:

I have reviewed the Peer-Review Report, full text of the manuscript, and the relevant ethics documents, all of which have met the basic publishing requirements of the World Journal of Clinical Cases, and the manuscript is conditionally accepted. I have sent the manuscript to the author(s) for its revision according to the Peer-Review Report, Editorial Office's comments and the Criteria for Manuscript Revision by Authors.

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**Response:** We provided the original figures in a single PowerPoint file as recommended. All the figures we provided are original, and we understood about the indication of the author's copyright.

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**Response:** All the figures we provided are original, and we added the copyright information to the bottom right-hand side of the picture.

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**Response:** All the tables are provided according to the instruction you commented.

4. Before final acceptance, when revising the manuscript, the author must supplement and improve the highlights of the latest cutting-edge research results, thereby further improving the content of the manuscript.

**Response:** Thank you for your comments. We have provided latest study results in the manuscript.

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**Response:** We appreciate your information. This RCA tool will be of great help to our research.

Reviewer #1:

**Scientific Quality:** Grade B (Very good)

**Language Quality:** Grade B (Minor language polishing)

**Conclusion:** Accept (General priority)

**Specific Comments to Authors:** It is a well-design study adding new information to the literature.

According to my knowledge, it is a novel paper in its field opening new horizons for further evidence. Authors, succeed to present their findings in a clear way. In addition, the object as well as the results are appropriately discussed in the context of previous literature explaining the importance of the manuscript in its field. Authors succeed to present their data in a clear way adding information to the existing literature. Therefore, I have no corrections or further work to propose for the improvement of the manuscript and therefore it can be published unaltered.

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Reviewer #2:

**Scientific Quality:** Grade C (Good)

**Language Quality:** Grade A (Priority publishing)

**Conclusion:** Accept (General priority)

**Specific Comments to Authors:** This is a good report about surgical injury of brachial plexus. The illustrations are good. Methodology is good. Introduction and discussion sections are adequate.

References are up to date

**Response:** We sincerely appreciate your comments. We hope that this paper will be of great help to clinicians in various fields.