

**Dear Reviewers:**

Thanks for your comments, it's my honor to respond to you. I have seriously considered your advice. And we improved my manuscript according to the comments, and re-submission it.

First of all, as for the comment that “ the second case of DH in PSS reported in the world”, we actually have reviewed the literature related to SS with histoplasmosis not limited to the publication time through PubMed, but we still only find one case which we mentioned in the our article(reference 19) . But in order to be more precise, we delete above sentences, and only reserve the sentence“This is the first case of DH reported in China's Jilin province”.

Then we corrected the “liver function damage” into “abnormal liver function tests”.

Finally, as for the comment of “Regaedubg Fig.2 - Some comment could be added and probably a scheme, in a further fig. 3, of the HC cycle.”, I add arrows in the Fig.2, and add a simplified flow diagram of the histoplasmosis as Fig. 3.

All changes above were highlighted with yellow.

According to your latest email, I modify the format of manuscript and reference, and put the decomposition diagrams into a PPT file. At the same time, I submit the “BPG\_Copyright\_License\_Agreement” again.

Please contact me with any questions!

Thank you for your attention. I look forward to hearing from you!

Sincerely,

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