

ANSWERING REVIEWERS

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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 5383-review.doc).

Title: Phasic study of intestinal homeostasis disruption in experimental intestinal obstruction

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Name of Journal: *World Journal of Gastroenterology*

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Thank you for giving us the opportunity to revise the manuscript. We appreciate the editor and reviewer's comments and suggestions, which are valuable in improving the quality of our manuscript. We have made extensive modifications to the original manuscript according to the reviewers' suggestions or requests.

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

1 Format has been updated

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer

Answers to the Reviewer 00502803:

(1) *The abbreviations (HPLC etc) to be expanded when first used.*

The abbreviations of HPLC, GC, IEL, LPL, ODC, EMB, TPY in the manuscript were expanded when first used.

(2) *The results are too long. Can be presently briefly.*

The results have been cut short for preferable reading.

(3) *some minor spelling mistakes (title page)*

The typing mistakes were corrected.

(4) *Too many subheadings in the text. To be checked if permissible for journal format.*

Thanks for your valued suggestion, I have checked and found that it was permissible

for the journal.

(5) *References to be put according to journal format*

We have updated the references format according to the guidelines.

Answers to the Reviewer 02726032:

The article is well written but the final decision would be by the editorial team.

No major or minor comments have been made by the reviewer.

3 References and typesetting were corrected

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

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Xiangyang Yu". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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