
Dear Jia-Ping Yan.

Thank you for your decision letter and advice on our manuscript (NO: 63475) entitled “Effects of impaired immune function in diabetic patients on COVID-19”

Accordingly, we have revised the manuscript.. Point-by-point responses to the comments are listed below.

We hope that the revision is acceptable for publication in your journal.

1 Peer-review report

Reviewer #1: Strongly advise the authors to use a skilled English language editor.

Response: *Thank you for your comment. Accordingly, This document certifies that the manuscript was edited for proper English language, grammar, punctuation, spelling, and overall style by one or more of the highly qualified native English speaking editors at AJE (verification code 2AA5-A4B0-CE35-3749-7F28)*

Section on B and T cells is very unclear and not understandable. This greatly diminishes the scientific value of the information.

Response: *Thank you for your comment. The B cells and the T cells we have reviewed the literature and rewritten.*

2 Editorial Office's comments

1) Science Editor:

The “Author Contributions” section is missing. Please provide the author contributions; PMID and DOI numbers are missing in the reference list. Please provide the PubMed numbers and DOI citation numbers to the reference list and list all authors of the references. Please revise throughout; and Please add table/figure to this review. 6 Recommendation: Conditional acceptance.

Response: *Thank you for your comment. We have added the "Author Contributions" section, the PMID and DOI numbers in the reference list, and the table.*

Yours sincerely,