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To the Editors and Reviewer of
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Dear Sir,

Please find below the reply point to point to the reviewer's comments.

Reviewer #1:

This is a potentially interesting editorial. However, the writing style loses the interest of readers from the first few lines. I recommend English-language editing. Whole sections should be re-written, the context of the editorial more focused and it should be shorter.

We thank the reviewer for his/her advice. According with the reviewer suggestion, we rewrote the paper.

Reviewer #2:

The manuscript concludes the impact of SARS-CoV-2 during immune-mediated diseases and among patients treated with biologicals. The following questions need to be addressed before publication: 1. A simple display or citation of literature is not recommended. The author should add his own comprehension of references cited. 2. Whether the results in the literature with homogenous data can be extracted simultaneously? For instance, infection rate, recurrence rate, and morbidity. Using statistical methods to get a meaningful conclusion. If not reach statistical significance, the author can combine his own clinical experience and knowledge to give a unique understanding. 3. Some logicity is still needed. In order to state the point, the author has displayed some drugs and diseases related to immunology, like Baricitinib, Omalizumab, asthma, and some allergic diseases. The relationship between them is kind of chaotic. The

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hierarchical structure can be more distinct when specifying the object and using the serial number. Like: 1. Conventional drugs. 2. Biological agents. 3. Targeted drugs. 4.xxxx. 4. The manuscript is in need of language polishing.

We thank the reviewer for raising this useful points . We amended the text following her/his suggestions.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Best Regards.

Dr. Davide Firinu,

A handwritten signature in purple ink, appearing to read 'Davide Firinu', with a large, stylized loop at the end.