

Aug 11, 2021

RE: Manuscript NO.: 69538, Letter to editor, "Therapeutic potentials of Fasudil in liver fibrosis"

Dear Professors Subrata Ghosh, Andrzej S Tarnawski, and Mr. Lian-Sheng Ma

Thank you for your correspondence of Aug 8, 2021 regarding the above referenced manuscript. The manuscript is polished by The Writing Center of University of Pittsburgh. We are now submitting the revised manuscript. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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## **Responses to Comments**

Reviewer #1:

Scientific Quality: Grade B (Very good)

Language Quality: Grade A (Priority publishing)

Conclusion: Accept (High priority)

Specific Comments to Authors: This “letter to the editor” supplemented the ongoing discussion on the therapeutic potentials of Fasudil in the treatment of hepatic fibrosis. Authors mainly make comments about the recent basic study and other studies. The view that Fasudi is a promising medication for the prevention and treatment of liver fibrosis is concluded based several solid basic studies. The comments in this letter are objective and serious.

**Response:** Thanks for your encouraging comments.