

Dear Editor,

Thank you very much for allowing us to revise the manuscript.

We would like to remind you that there is a waiving of the publication fee for "Review Articles" that are accepted for publication in the BPG journals (Number ID: 02728466).

Reviewer 1: Well-written and exhaustive review

*Responses to the reviewer 1: Thank you very much for your comments.*

Reviewer 2: The authors present a succinct and targeted review of the literature for lung clearance index in cystic fibrosis, which is a multiple breath washout technique to assess lung function. The manuscript presents a broad overview of data that will be particularly relevant to pediatric practitioners. Minor grammar errors are noted, but not so much as to limit the value of this review. Future directions for research are provided and sensible.

*Responses to the reviewer 2: Thank you very much for your comments. Language errors were corrected in the revised manuscript.*

Reviewer 3: The general findings of this manuscript is of value to the readers and researchers. I think the findings are worth publishing

*Responses to the reviewer 3: Thank you very much for your comments.*

Yours sincerely,

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