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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 33450-Revised manuscript.doc).

**Title:** Bacterial infections post-living-donor liver transplantation in Egyptian HCV-cirrhotic patients: A single-center study

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers and Editor comments:  
1 Format has been updated.

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewers (highlighted in yellow color inside the manuscript file).

- (1) In **TITLE OF MANUSCRIPT**: we added the word "HCV" to the title to indicate that the study was performed on hepatitis C patients.
- (2) In **INTRODUCTION** section: we clarified the risk factors, causative organisms and antimicrobial resistance pattern of bacterial infections following living-donor liver transplantation.

3 We added an "**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**" section: The authors gratefully acknowledge members of the Ain Shams Center for Organ Transplant (ASCOT), Cairo, Egypt for their support.

4 References and typesetting were corrected.

5 We made English Language Editing according to American Journal Experts (AJE) ([www.aje.com](http://www.aje.com)).  
Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Hepatology*.

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