

Answer for Editor

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Dear Jin-Lei Wang, Company Editor-in-Chief, Editorial Office,  
Thank you very much for the editing of the manuscript.

My ID 00068912. The authors send you revised the manuscript **75746 "The mechanism for development of malnutrition in primary biliary cholangitis and the principles of its correction "** (Please refer to the attached file "75746\_revised manuscript")

All your comments and requirements were taken into account.

The authors express their gratitude to the reviewers (ID – 03537165; ID – 03538156; for their work done and comments.

**Response to the reviewer ID – 03537165.**

The authors express their gratitude to the reviewer for the work done and for the positive evaluation of the manuscript. Methods to assess the status of nutrition, this is a separate big topic for discussion. Since the presented manuscript is devoted to the mechanism of development of malnutrition in patients with primary biliary cholangitis, the authors did not focus on methods for assessing the nutritional status. We really hope that the reviewer will agree with this argument.

**Response to the reviewer ID – 03538156.**

Once again, the authors express their gratitude for the detailed analysis of the manuscript and the comments made aimed at improving the manuscript.

Thank you for publishing our manuscript in the World Journal of Meta-Analysis.

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