

Dear Editors/Reviewers:

On behalf of my co-authors, we thank you very much for giving us an opportunity to revise our manuscript, and we appreciate editors and reviewers very much for their positive and constructive comments and suggestions concerning our manuscript entitled “**Association of baseline vitamin D levels and polymorphisms of the vitamin D receptor gene with clinical parameters and treatment outcomes in pregnant women with high hepatitis B viral loads**” (Manuscript NO.: 83804, Original Article). Those suggestions and comments are all valuable and very helpful for revising and improving our paper, as well as the important guiding significance to our researches. We have studied comments carefully and have made correction which we hope meet with approval. The revised version is submitted as soon as possible, because we would like to submit for your kind consideration. The main corrections in the paper and the responds to the editors/reviewers’ comments and suggestions are as flowing:

Responds to the editors/reviewers’ comments and suggestions:

Company editor-in-chief:

1. Response to comment: Questions about the format of the references

Response: Thanks to the chief editor for pointing out our problems about the reference and putting forward the method that is conducive to our revision. According to the suggestion of the chief editor, we have visited the website of Reference Citation Analysis (RCA) and carefully revised the references as required.

2. Response to comment: Questions about the table and figure formats

Response: We have modified the table and figure according to the reference format, expecting to meet the requirements of the criteria.

Science editor:

Response: We are very grateful to the scientific editor for his contribution to

our article review process and his assessment of the language and scientific quality of the article, and we will work harder to further improve the language and scientific quality of the article in the future.

Reviewer #1:

Response: We are very honored that the reviewers reviewed our article and assessed the language and scientific quality of the article. We are very grateful for the reviewers' comments on our article, which are important to encourage us to continue further researches. In the future, we welcome interested experts and scholars from different countries to work with us to investigate more deeply the role and mechanism of vitamin D and its receptor polymorphisms in blocking mother-to-child transmission of hepatitis B virus.

Reviewer #2:

Response: We are very grateful to the reviewers for their dedication and contribution in the article review process. Thanks for the reviewer's affirmation of our article. We think highly of all comments and suggestions from every editor and reviewer, and will continue to strive to make higher quality and more valuable research results in the future.

We tried our best to improve the manuscript and made some changes in the manuscript. We appreciate for editors/reviewers' warm work earnestly, and hope that the correction will meet with approval. Once again, thank you very much for your comments and suggestions.

Thank you and best regards.

Sincerely yours!

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