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Dear Editor,

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**Title:** Toxic stress, inflammation and symptomatology of chronic complications in diabetes

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers:

1. The running title has been added: Toxic stress, inflammation, complications in diabetes
2. Conflict of interest form and copyright assignment form are signed and submitted
3. Revisions have been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer:
  - (a) Headings are capitalized and bolded throughout the manuscript
  - (b) All references in the text are superscript with brackets
4. All cited references include the complete list of authors, PMID and DOI numbers when available. For those references that do not have PMID numbers, the first page of the full text article is included.

Thank you for publishing our manuscript in *World Journal of Diabetes*.

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