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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (ESPS Manuscript NO: 18042).

Title: *Helicobacter Pylori* and Inflammatory Skin Diseases

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

1. A table regarding some of the most important studies concerned with the association of *H. pylori* with the inflammatory skin diseases has been presented. In context of the table readers will be able to find the author names, publication date, design and results of the studies. Of note, it is worth to emphasize that the studies have been listed in order of publication date.
2. We thank the reviewer for the valuable comment about enlarging the discussion to include the association of *H. pylori* with further skin diseases, including autoimmune dermatological diseases. However, the main concept of this review is possible pathogenic role of *H. pylori* in the inflammatory skin diseases. Thus, vitiligo, alopecia areata, systemic sclerosis and others other than inflammatory skin diseases have not been considered in the framework of this review.

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Dermatology*.

Sincerely yours,

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