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Dear Dr. Amit Krishnan,

Enclosed, please find the revised manuscript JoVE62757, entitled “Longitudinal intravital imaging through clear silicone windows.

We have addressed the requested editorial changes as follows:

- 1) We have addressed the editorial comments in the manuscript, including a) added a note about a cell line to use, the culturing conditions, and the number of cells used for injection; and b) described the specification of the suturing/wound clip materials. Note that we have also updated the “Table of Materials” to include sutures and wound clips.
- 2) The manuscript has been revised to avoid the use of personal pronouns. We apologize for the misunderstanding, as we thought avoiding personal pronouns was required in the detailed protocol only.
- 3) Figure 3 has been revised to include the correct panel labeling.
- 4) Figure 8 have been revised to include scale bars.
- 5) We have updated the highlighted content to include steps involving intravital imaging (from section 8 of the protocol). The highlighted steps now represent a cohesive narrative, beginning from casting of the window, to surgical implantation, and finally tracking of the same position over time through the gridded window. There are less than 3 pages of highlighted protocol steps.

We hope that with these changes the manuscript can be formally accepted in *JoVE* and look forward to the videotaping.

Sincerely,

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