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| **Frequently Observed English Language and Style Issues** | |
| **Frequently Observed Issue** | **Example** |
| ***Inconsistent word usage and issues with abbreviations***  Please ensure that terms are written in the same way throughout the manuscript. For example, the abbreviation for quantitative PCR should be written as either RT-qPCR or qPCR or qRT-PCR. Do not switch between these different formats.  Uncommon or field-specific initialisms (e.g., RT for reverse transcription) and acronyms (e.g., PEG for polyethylene glycol) should be defined the first time they are used, once in the Abstract and again in the main body of the manuscript. Please always check the journal guidelines for how abbreviations should be handled | See comments related to defining acronyms at their first occurrence and subsequent use. |
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Yours respectfully,

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