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Dear Prof. Dr. Izzet Yavuz and Editorial team of Journal of International Dental and Medical Research (JIDMR),

I have a pleasure of sending you the manuscript entitled **“Increased number of osteoblasts and new bone formation in rat's tooth socket implanted with nanocrystalline hydroxyapatite from pensi shells”** to be considered for publication as a research article in your journal – Journal of International Dental and Medical Research.

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This manuscript is a report of the synthesis of nanocrystalline hydroxyapatite made from pensi shells (*Corbicula moltkiana*) and its effects on the number of osteoblasts and new bone formation in the post extraction rat's tooth socket. The hydroxyapatite used in this study was synthesized using calcium oxide extracted from *Corbicula moltkiana* and  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{HPO}_4$  as calcium precursor and phosphorus precursors, respectively. The characterization was carried out using X-ray diffraction (XRD) and scanning electron microscopy (SEM). This study involved a total sample of 16 rats in 4 groups: group I (control day 14) and group II (treatment day 14), group III (control day 28) and group IV (treatment day 28). The results showed a significant difference in the number of osteoblasts and new bone formation in bone healing after tooth extraction in the control group and the hydroxyapatite implantation group on day 14 and 28. Nanocrystalline hydroxyapatite implantation group showed the highest increase in the number of osteoblasts and new bone formation.

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It's a great pleasure for us to inform you that, your article titled " Increased number of osteoblasts and new bone formation in rat's tooth socket implanted with nanocrystalline hydroxyapatite from ~~canine~~ shells " has received preliminary acceptance as a result of JIDMR peer review.

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## **Increased Number of Osteoblasts and New Bone Formation in Rat's Tooth Socket Implanted with Nanocrystalline Hydroxyapatite from Pensi Shells**

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### **Abstract**

Preserving alveolar bone with osteoconductive biomaterials may prevent excessive resorption in the post extraction tooth socket. In this study, nanocrystalline hydroxyapatite (nHA) made from pensi shells (*Corbicula molukiana*) through sol-gel method was implanted in the post extraction rat's tooth socket. The effect of nHA on the number of osteoblasts and new bone formation in the post extraction sockets were then evaluated.

The study involved a total sample of 16 rats in 4 groups: group I (control day 14) and group II (nHA day 14), group III (control day 28) and group IV (nHA day 28). XRD and SEM analysis results confirmed a formation of pure hydroxyapatite materials with crystal and particle size of 41.78 nm and about 100 nm, respectively. The results showed a significant difference in the number of osteoblasts and new bone formation in bone healing after tooth extraction in the control group and the nanocrystalline hydroxyapatite implantation group on day 14 and 28 ( $p < 0.05$ ). Group IV showed the highest number of osteoblasts by  $43.6 \pm 2.27$  and the highest new bone formation