



**Supplementary Figure S2.** Experimental excisional wounds healing by second intention in horses. Wounds were inoculated with *Staphylococcus aureus* and *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* on day 4. **(A)** Thorax wound on day 14 (10 days after inoculation) displaying normal healing with healthy granulation tissue, epithelial ingrowth, and sparse amounts of serous wound fluid. **(B)** Limb wound on day 14 (10 days after inoculation) displaying impaired healing with granulation tissue protruding above skin surface. The wound was gently cleansed before the photo was taken. **(C)** Limb wound on day 14 (10 days after inoculation) with large amounts of tenacious purulent exudate and granulation tissue protruding above the skin surface.

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