

**Xuebijing Injection in the Treatment of Severe Pneumonia: A  
Randomized Controlled Trial**

**Protocol Amendments**

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1. Page 5, Randomization section, The published protocol mistakenly mentioned the source of infection include community- or hospital-acquired infection, whereas the original protocol did not include patients admitted to the hospital for more than 48 hours.
2. Page 3, Table 1 Research settings and name of each ethics committee, three settings were missed.
  - (1) Luoyang Central Hospital Affiliated to Zhengzhou University
  - (2) First People's Hospital of Yunnan Province
  - (3) Central Hospital Affiliated to Shenyang Medical College
3. Page 6, Secondary outcome measures, PSI score, Sequential Organ Failure Assessment (SOFA) Score, Acute Physiology and Chronic Health Evaluation (APACHE) II score, Lung Injury Score (LIS), the Multi-Organ Dysfunction (MODS) score, Oxygenation index were missed.