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The processed mRNA, miRNA, proteomics, protein corona, physico chemical properties and BAL cell counts used in this paper have been deposited in the online Zenodo repository under the accession number 10.5281/zenodo.4247173.

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Authentication

The cells were used for up to 30 passages and were tested regularly using MycoAlert® mycoplasma detection kit (Lonza).
THP-1 cells were not authenticated by us but ATCC has performed cell line authentication by using STR analysis/profiling.

Mycoplasma contamination

All cell lines were tested negative for mycoplasma

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None