## A fabricated hydrogel of hyaluronic acid / curcumin shows super-activity to heal the bacterial infected wound

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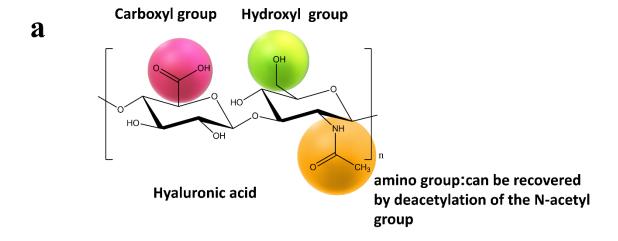
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**Figure S1.** Chemical structure of HA (a) and PDMS-DG (b). HA consists of repeating disaccharide units: N-acetyl glucosamine and D-glucuronic acid. Two functional groups, hydroxyl and carboxyl, are shown by green and pink spheres. Also, an amino group can be recovered by deacetylation of the N-acetyl group (orange sphere). Polydimethylsiloxane is a kind of silicon that has two methyl groups attached to its silicon structure. PDMS-DG has two epoxy groups in its ends (blue cones). The chemical structures present here have been drawn by ChemBioDraw Ultra 12.0.

**Table S1.** The primers that were used to determine the effect of Gel-H.P and Gel-H.P.Cur on the expression of QS circuit genes (lasI, lasR, rhlI and rhlR) employing real-time qPCR.

Gene	Primer sequence	Amplicon size (bp)	
oprL	5'-AACAGCGGTGCCGTTGAC-3' 5'-GTCGGAGCTGTCGTACTCGAA-3'	87	
lasI	5'-CGCACATCTGGGAACTCA-3' 176 5'-CGGCACGGATCATCATCT-3'		
lasR	5'-CTGTGGATGCTCAAGGACTAC-3' 5'-AACTGGTCTTGCCGATGG-3'	133	
rhll	5'-GTAGCGGGTTTGCGGATG-3' 5'-CGGCATCAGGTCTTCATCG-3'		
rhlR	5'-GCCAGCGTCTTGTTCGG-3' 5'-CGGTCTGCCTGAGCCATC-3'	160	

Table S2. NMR characteristic peaks of HA, PDMS-DG and Gel-H.P

Material	Signal name	Shift (ppm)	Description
HA	1	1.9	CH3 of N-acetyl glucosamine
	2	3.502	Protons around the sugar ring
	3	3.725	Protons around the sugar ring
	4	4.673	Solvent: D2O
PDMS-DG	a	-0.1-0.1	Si-CH3
	b	0.501	-CH2
	c	1.612	-CH2
	d	2.5	Epoxy group protons
	e	2.7	Epoxy group protons
	f	3.1	Epoxy group protons
	g	3.446	-CH2
	h	3.624	-CH2
Gel-H.P	a	-0.1-0.1	Si-CH3
	b	0.501	-CH2
	c	1.612	-CH2
	1	1.9	CH <sub>3</sub> of N-acetyl glucosamine
	4	4.673	Solvent: D2O