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Sunflower pollen-derived microcapsules adsorb light and bacteria for enhanced antimicrobial photothermal therapy

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Supplementary Material

Table S1 Elemental analysis of SEC and H-SECs.

	C %	H %	S %	N %
SECs	54.7±0.02	7.39±0.02	1.29±0.21	0.87±0.02
HSECs	56.3±0.10	7.19±0.01	3.35±0.01	2.58±0.02

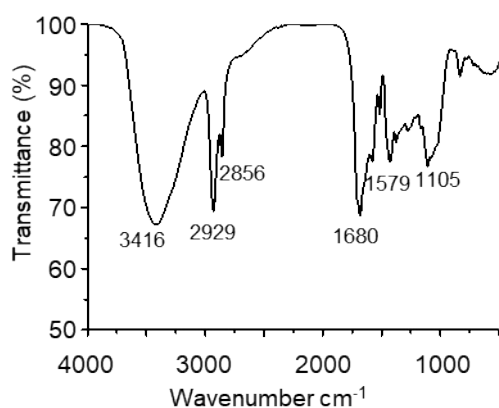


Fig. S1 FTIR spectrum of SECs.

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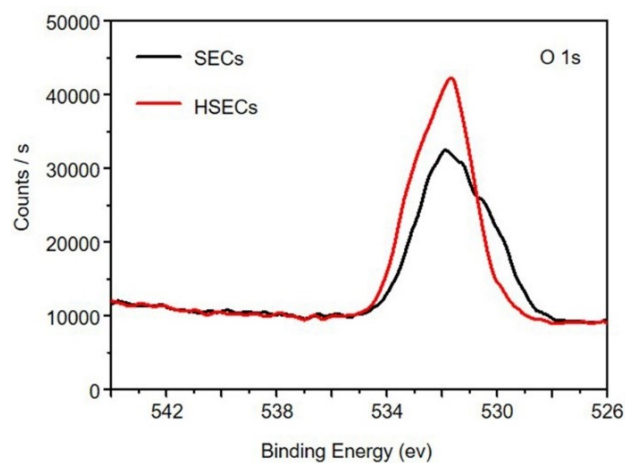


Fig. S2 High resolution XPS spectrum of O 1s.

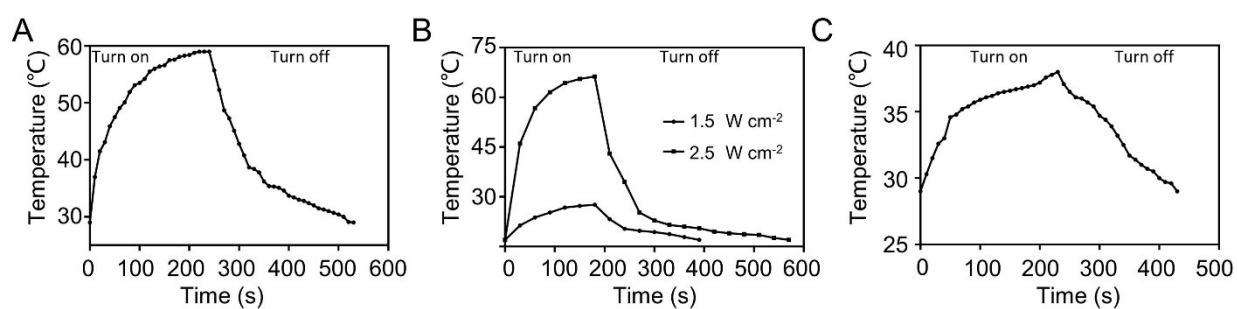


Fig. S3 (A) Photothermal effects of HSECs at 2.0 W cm⁻² (B) Photothermal effects of HSECs at 1.5 W cm⁻² and 2.5 W cm⁻². (C) Photothermal effects of SECs at 2.0 W cm⁻².

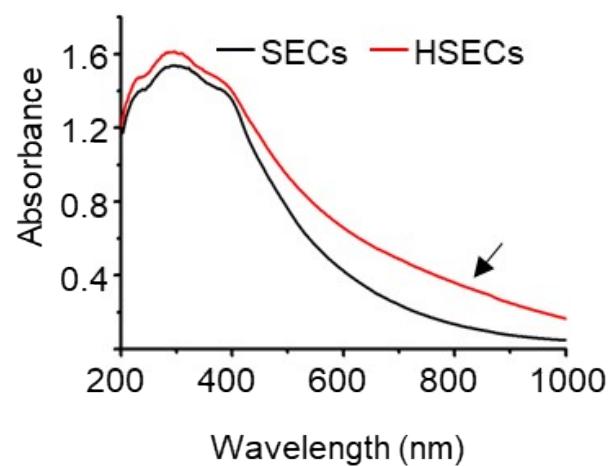


Fig. S4 UV-Vis-NIR spectrum of SECs and HSECs.

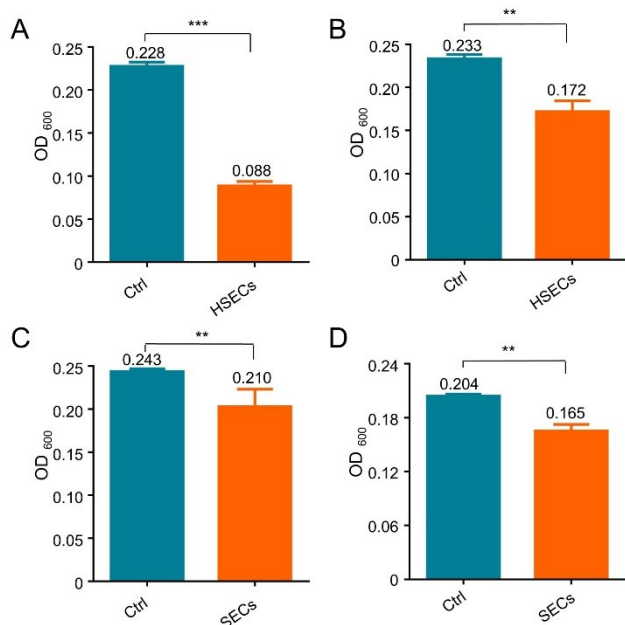


Fig. S5 (A) The OD₆₀₀ of the supernatant of HSECs and *S. aureus* mixture solution. (B) The OD₆₀₀ of the supernatant of HSECs and *E. coli* mixture solution. (C) The OD₆₀₀ of the supernatant of SECs and *S. aureus* mixture solution. (D) The OD₆₀₀ of the supernatant of SECs and *E. coli* mixture solution (t-test, n=4, **P < 0.01, ***P < 0.001).

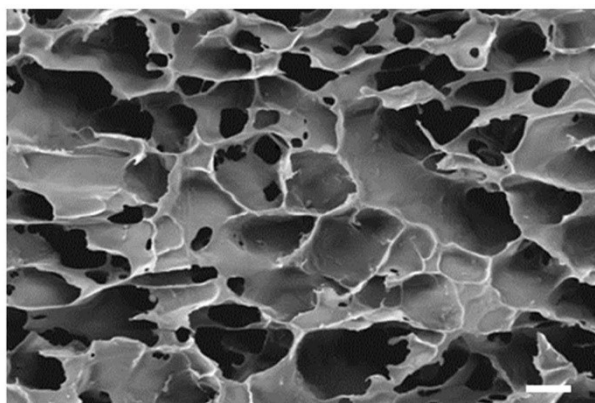


Fig. S6 SEM images of HSECs@Curdlan. Scale bar: 5 μm

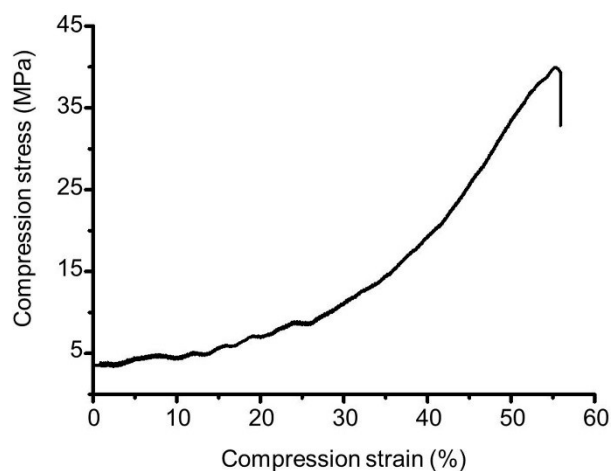


Fig. S7 compression strain-stress curves of HSECs@Curdlan.

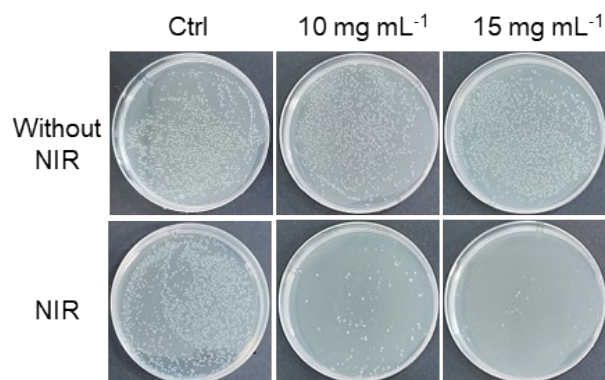


Fig. S8 NIR light-driven antibacterial effects of HSECs@Curdlan against *E. coli*. Representative Photographs of *E. coli*. colony plates after being treated with HSECs@Curdlan containing different concentrations of HSECs.

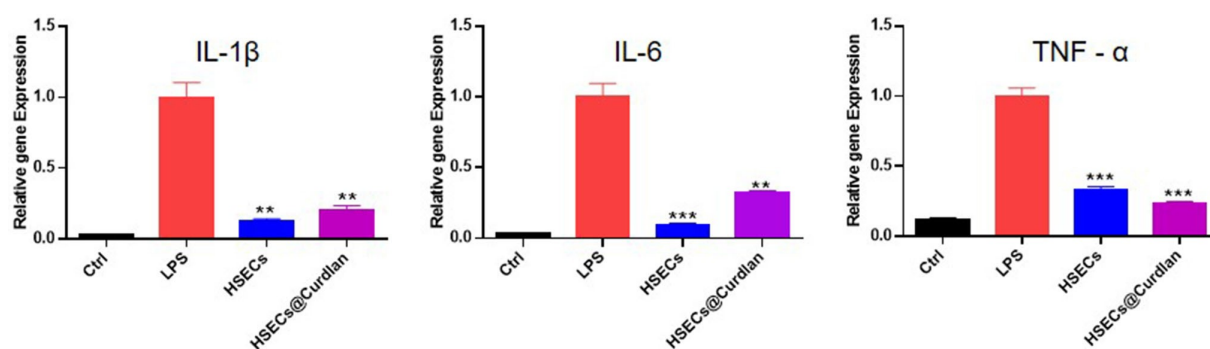


Fig. S9 Relative gene expression of interleukin-1β (IL-1β), TNF-α, interleukin-6 (IL-6). The LPS group was set as positive control compared to the LPS group (t-test, n=3, *P < 0.05, **P < 0.01, ***P < 0.001).

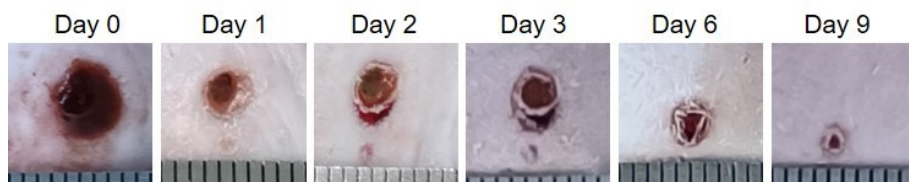


Fig. S10 The HSECs@Curdlan hydrogel in wound beds from day 0 to day 9.



Fig. S11 Representative Photographs of *S. aureus* colony plates of different groups.

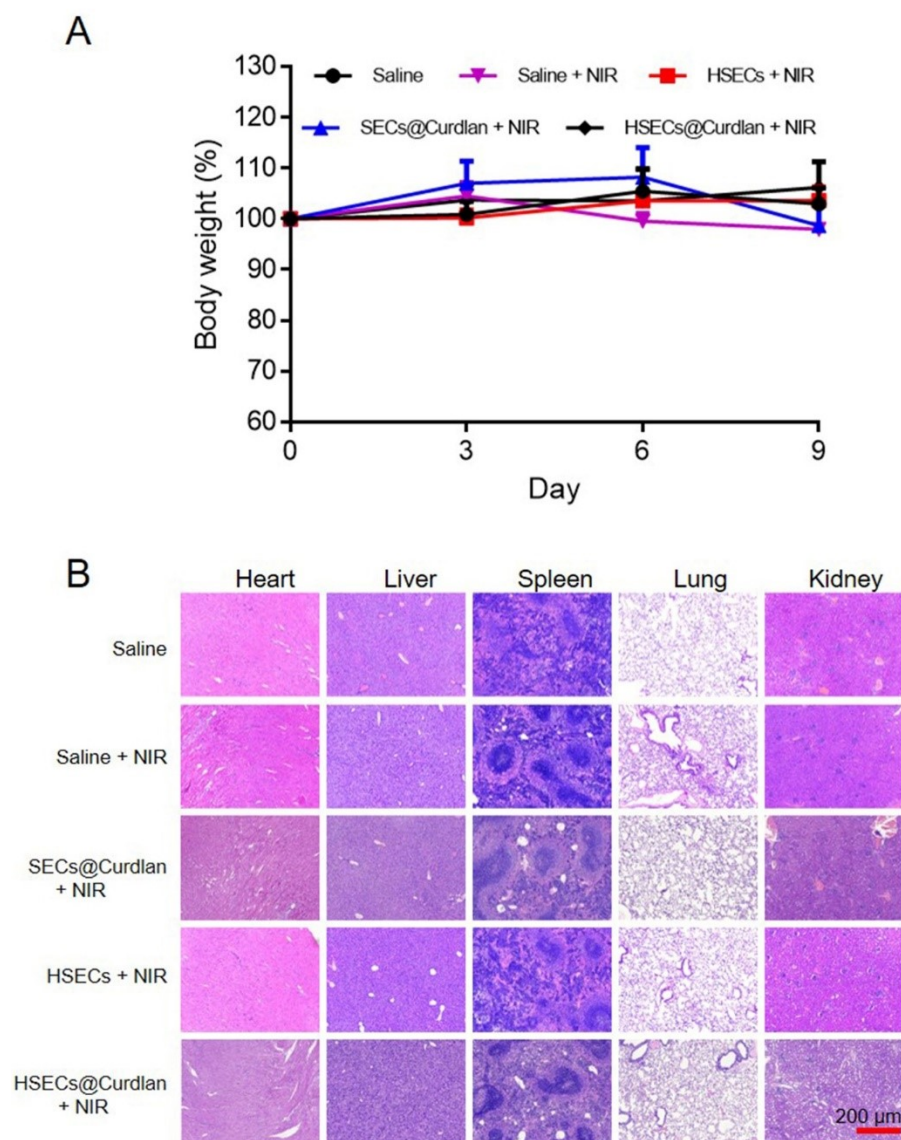


Fig. S12 (A) Body weight change curves of each group at day 0, 3, 6, 9 (n=3). (B) H. E. staining of heart, liver, spleen, lung, kidney of different groups at day 9.

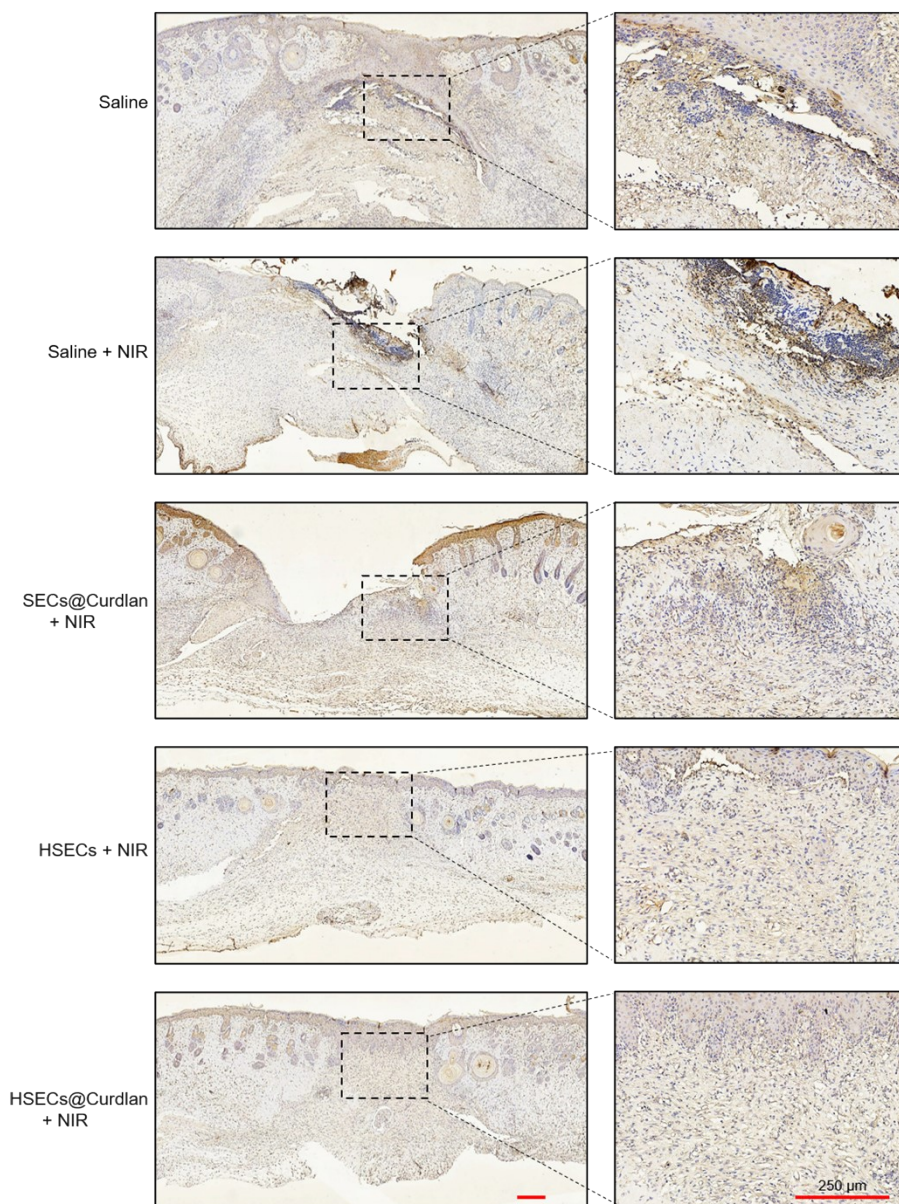


Fig. S13 Immunohistochemical images of IL-6 of different groups on day 9, the scale bar is 250 µm.