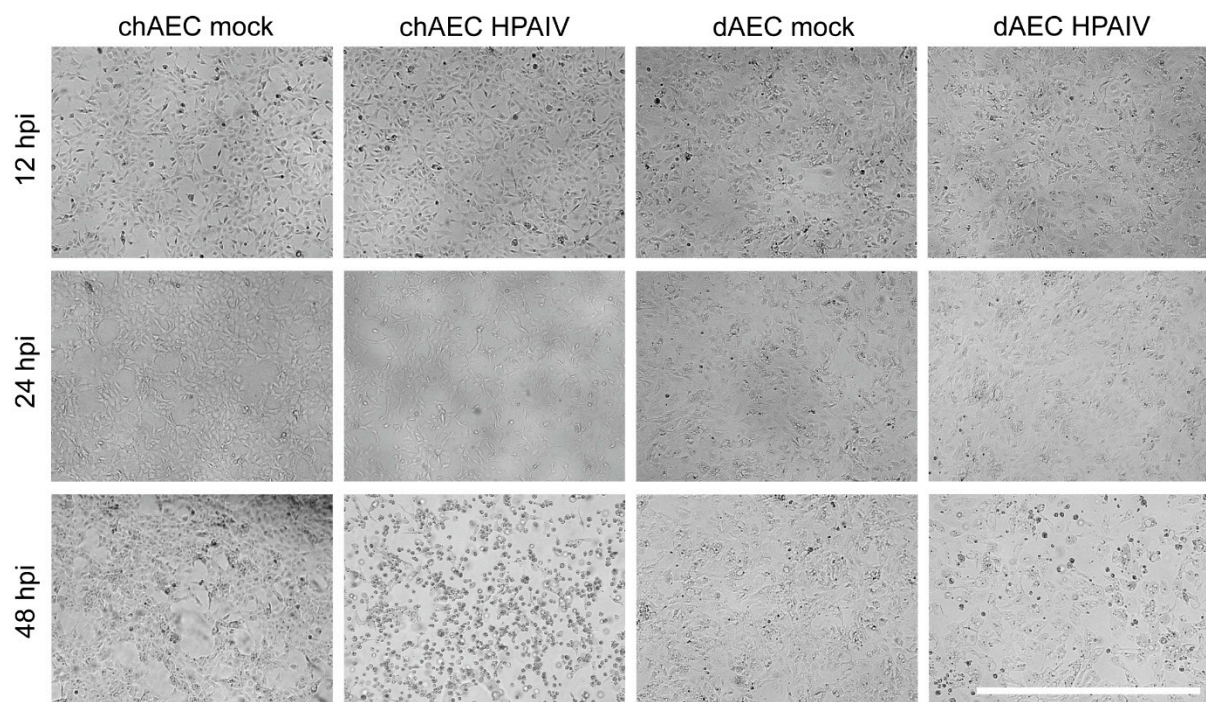


Supplementary Figure S1. Primary AEC have an endothelial cell morphology. Bright field microscopy pictures of chAEC p14 (A) and dAEC p15 (B). The scale bar represents 1 mm.



Supplementary Figure S2. Delayed onset of cytopathic effects in dAEC compared to chAEC upon inoculation with HPAIV. Representative bright field microscopy images of the multi-cycle replication experiment in Figure 3 panel C (see figure legend for details). The scale bar represents 1 mm.