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Dear Editor Aldcroft,

Enclosed please find our revised manuscript, “Application of Latent Semantic Analysis for Open-Ended Responses in a Large, Epidemiologic Study.”

The authors have revised the manuscript as recommended below:

Major revisions (we require the author to make these changes)

Author list: the list of authors in the manuscript should be written exactly as they are in the submission system, both in style and order. The preferred style is 'First name Initial Last name' (e.g. Joe F Bloggs).  
All author names have been updated to read ‘First name Initial Last name’ on both the revised manuscript and in the online submission system.

Authors’ contributions: Please indicate that all authors read and approved the final manuscript. The sentence, “All authors read and approved the final manuscript.” has been added to the authors’ contributions section.

References: Please make sure references are cited in numerical order. Currently they are not.  
We apologize that the references were out of order. We have fixed this issue.

References: We notice reference 11, 12, 13 is not cited within the main text. Please make sure references continue to be cited in numerical order once this reference is cited.  
All references have been corrected.

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