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Dear Editors,
Thank you for your e-mail regarding this manuscript. I have worked on your requests for changes as follows:

Re. Major revisions
I have:
• Amended the affiliations section and affiliation 1 is now complete: The Peter Bradley Foundation has changed its name to Acquired Brain Injury Ireland and this change has been made throughout the paper
• Indicated that all authors have read and approved the final manuscript
• Removed vertical lines from all Tables
• The figure title has been removed
• The presentation of information for our additional files has been corrected
• The web link for reference 3 has been edited and checked: It is working
• All references are in square brackets and have been placed before the full stop. The order and accuracy of references has been checked and is now correct.

Re. Minor revisions
• The following sub headings have been removed from the title page: Title, Authors, E-mail addresses of authors
• All highlighting and tracking has been removed from the manuscript
• The Abstract is present in manuscript and matches exactly what is in the submission system
• Introduction has been renamed `Background'
• Materials & Methods has been renamed 'Methods'
• The figures are cropped as closely as possible to minimise white space around the image
• The manuscript has been checked for typographical errors.

Yours sincerely,

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