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Dear the Editor:

Thank you for the reviewer’ comments on our second version of the manuscript. I, as the representative of the manuscript authors, am writing this letter for the resubmission of the manuscript entitled ‘Benzodiazepine Prescribing Behaviour and Attitudes: a Survey among General Practitioners Practicing in Northern Thailand’.

Attached please find the revised manuscript. Totally, it contains 3,637 words, including 265 words of the abstract, 2,082 words of the body of the manuscript, 20 references, 2 tables, and 452 words of the annex.

All four authors of the submitted paper have contributed substantially, reviewed, and given final approval of the submitted manuscript. The paper has never been published and is not being considered by any journal.

The present manuscript has addressed the reviewer’ comment on the duration of benzodiazepines co-prescribed for depression. We have added 3 sentences relevant to this at the end of ‘Discussion’ (on page 11). In addition, we have added the 20th reference both in the text and at the end of the ‘References’ (page 17). In addition, my UK colleagues and I have also edited some words used in the paper to make it more concise.

Please let us know if you have any question or comment on the revised manuscript.

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Thank you for your consideration. My colleagues and I are looking forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

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