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Dear Editor:

The following changes have been made to the current version of the manuscript:

i) The full Italian name of the ethics committee has been included

ii) According to your remarks on the definitions of authorship we reconsidered our author list: two of the names previously listed as authors were switched to the acknowledgment list, the third was omitted.

According to your instructions, the manuscript is double-spaced and unjustified.

Looking forward to hearing from you, we remain

Yours Sincerely

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