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Dear Dr Norton:

Please find a revised version of our manuscript titled above. We would like to thank you and the reviewers for your constructive comments and have revised our manuscript accordingly. According to your suggestion, we changed the manuscript and tables. We revised our manuscript as described in a point-by-point response to reviewers. Also, we corrected some mistakes in the statistical analysis. Changes to the text of this manuscript are underlined. This work has not been published elsewhere, nor is it being considered for publication elsewhere. We guarantee the accuracy of our references. We believe that the manuscript has been greatly improved as a result of your suggestions, and we hope that it will be found to be acceptable for publication in *BMC Geriatrics*.

Thank you very much for your kind consideration.

Sincerely, 
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