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Dear Editor,

Thank you for your suggested revisions. We have completed them as requested using track changes.

1) Further elaborate on the research design. We have added additional descriptions of the research design as requested to the design section of the manuscript.

2) Further discuss practice implications: Additional implications of the study findings were added to the conclusion section. As this is a qualitative study we were careful not to overstate the implications.

We hope that these revisions are satisfactory

Sincerely,

Wendy Duggleby