Author's response to reviews

Title: A standard procedure for creating a frailty index in a cohort study

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Dear Editor:

Re: A standard procedure for creating a frailty index

Thank you for the pre-acceptance. We have made the changes you requested. Specifically:

1. We have added the section on ethics at the end of the Methods section, noting informed consent and IRB approval.
2. We put the title in sentence format.
3. We deleted authors’ qualifications.
4. We removed all highlighting and tracking from the manuscript.
5. We deleted the key words.
6. We made the table title appear above the table and be only one sentence long, and placed any other text as a legend below the table.
7. We cropped the Figures.

Note however that you asked us to remove citations s1, s2 & s3. We could not find these, either by visual inspection or by the word processor search function.

Regards,
Kenneth Rockwood