Author's response to reviews

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Dear editor-in-chief,

Thank you for considering our paper for publication in BMC nephrology. I hereby submit a thoroughly revised version of the manuscript entitled *Effect of paricalcitol on renin and albuminuria in non-diabetic stage III-IV chronic kidney disease: a randomized placebo-controlled trial* (MS: 1665379885904068). A point-by-point response to each of the three referees is attached. A manuscript edition where additions and deletions are highlighted is also attached.

Regarding editorial comments: 1) In order to adhere to all elements of the CONSORT guidelines, the manuscript has now been updated including the addition of a demographics table and a flowchart. 2) The English style of the manuscript has been improved. However, please let me know if further copyediting is needed.

Kind regards,

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