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Dear Mr Silvestre,

Thank you for transferring our manuscript “Implementation of a population-based epidemiological rare disease registry: Study protocol and first results of the amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS) - registry Swabia” to BMC Neurology.

According to your Email:

1) We have submitted a copy of your funding proofs.
2) The ‘Results’ sections have been from the abstract (page 2) and the manuscript text (page 10).
3) We now state in the abstract (page 2) and main text (page 11, middle) that our study is ongoing.

We believe that these results will be of interest to your readers. All authors of this research paper have directly participated in the planning, execution, or analysis of the study. The authors have read and approved this manuscript. This manuscript is currently not submitted for press at any other journal.

We look forward to a favorable consideration of our manuscript and remain

Yours sincerely,

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