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The Editor,
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Dear Sir/Ma,

COVERING LETTER

On behalf of the authors of the article ‘Reshaping maternal services in Nigeria: any need for spiritual care?’ I write to submit a revised version of the manuscript. The point-by-point corrections as requested by the Editor have been addressed as follows:

a. A new opening paragraph has been written in the introduction to present a broad perspective of the neglect of psychosocial support (of which spiritual care is a part) during pregnancy and childbirth in our hospitals. The conclusion of the article has also been adjusted to reflect this.

b. Table 3 has been represented to show uncorrected odd ratio and confidence interval as suggested by the Editor. Appropriate deductions were subsequently made and same reflected in the result and discussion sections.

c. The first sentence in the discussion has been removed.

Thanks.

Yours faithfully,

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