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Dear Ms. Neilan,

Thank you for your comments regarding my manuscript. I am presently submitting the revised manuscript as suggested with the following changes:

1.) I have removed the previous cover letter

2.) The process of ethical approval has been detailed under the methods section, including a comment on possible conflict of interests

3.) I have separated into sub-categories the methods section to provide more detail in the process of my research

4.) the relevance and research question of my study has been stated in the last paragraph of the background (page 6) and the research design has been given a rationale.

5.) The format of the manuscript has been delineated by bold titles of the sections. However, I do not have figure legends, tables, and description of additional files.

I hope that these are satisfactory. Thank you very much for your time and attention.

Much Regards,

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