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Dear Dr. Catherine Olino,

Thank you for your email of February 22, 2012, regarding our manuscript, “MS: 1093311888610954, Anti-NMDA receptor antibody and psychiatric manifestations”. We appreciate the reviewer’s valuable and constructive comments on our manuscript. I attach here our 2nd revised manuscript, as well as a point-by-point response to the reviewer’s comments.

We feel that the revised manuscript is revised accordingly to the reviewer’s comments, and it is now significantly improved over the initial submission. We believe that it is now suitable for publication in BMC Psychiatry.

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration of publishing of our manuscript. We greatly appreciate your guidance and feedback.

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The revised version is substantially improved and I recommend acceptance with minor corrections: Under Background first sentence: Causative role...has been and not have been. Third paragraph, second sentence: ...we found 7 Japanese...who lack any noticeable and not which...Under discussion, first paragraph: ...ovarian tumors are found in 2...and not associated with 2...ed serum-CSF antibody measures.