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The revised documents now includes the following changes:
- The ethics statement in the methods section includes a statement of adherence to ethical standards as well as the Helsinki Declaration.
- The competing interest statement have been moved down below the "conclusions" section.
- An author’s contribution section is now included just after the declaration of competing interests, detailing the contributions of the authors.
- An acknowledgements and funding section has been included after the author’s contribution section.
- The first page of the manuscript now includes information about word count, page count, tables and figures in the document.
- Author affiliation is updated in the revised manuscript.

I sincerely hope that the manuscript now conforms to the formatting requirements of BMC Psychiatry, and hope the manuscript now is eligible for review. Please let me know if anything else needs to be revised.

Best wishes Jens Christoffer Skogen