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Title: Effectiveness of a Parenting Programme in a Public Health Setting. A Randomised Controlled Trial of the Positive Parenting Programme (Triple P) Level 3 versus Care as Usual provided by the Preventive Child Healthcare (PCH)

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Dear Editor, Dear Dr Norton,

In reply to your e-mail please find enclosed our revised manuscript, “Effectiveness of a parenting programme in a public health setting: a randomised controlled trial of the positive parenting programme (Triple P) level 3 versus care as usual provided by the preventive child healthcare (PCH)”, to be considered for publication as a study protocol in BMC Public Health. We appreciate the opportunity to revise our manuscript.

Description of changes made (major revisions):

1) Affiliations: each affiliation is written in full, in the following format: Department, Institute, (Street), City, (Postal code), Country.

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2) Tables: bullet points are removed.

3) Additional files are deleted and we moved ethical approval information to the Methods/Design section and funding to the Acknowledgements.

4) Reference 24 is cited in the main text.

We also carried out all the minor revisions except for one: please note that reference 14 concerns a citation of an e-journal article without pagenumbers. The author of this article proposes the following citation but the website does not exist anymore:

We hope that these revisions are sufficient. We look forward to hearing from you.

With kind regards, also on behalf of the co-authors,

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