Author's response to reviews

Title: Associations of Body Mass Index, Weight-related Concerns and Behaviors With Eating Disorders Among Non-clinical Chinese Adolescents

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Dear Editors:

We have revised our manuscript according to all the comments.

Briefly, according to the comments from all reviewers, we revised three main issues in current version.

First of all, we double check the weight control concern and behavior items according to the EDI-3 questionnaire. The former items that included or related to EDI-3 were deleted. The new items of weight control concerns were correspondent to the weight control behaviors.

Secondly, according to the suggestion from one reviewer, we replace BMI as continue variable instead of category variable. In order to increase the statistic power, we also use the score of EDI-3 subscales instead of dummy variable. More attractive results, not only about bulimia, but also of other EDI subscales, were found in current manuscript.

Thirdly, but not lastly, we use mixed model to control the clustering effect of classes.

Please find the detail response below each comment.

We would like to resubmit this manuscript for consideration of publication.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you very much.

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