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Dear Sir:

Thank you very much for your e-mail.

We have checked our previous revised version and made some changes, as described below.

1. Author list
   We have checked our Author list and made no change.

2. Authors’ contributions, Page 13, line 13
   Following to your comment in e-mail, we have indicated that all authors read and approved the final manuscripts.

3. Author’s address, Page 1, line 13
   We have deleted the following address:
   “3 Public Health, Department of Social and Environmental Medicine, Graduate School of Medicine, Osaka University, Osaka University, 2-2 Yamadaoka, Suita-shi, Osaka 565-0871, Japan”

   And corrected it as follows:
   “3 Public Health, Department of Social and Environmental Medicine, Graduate School of Medicine, Osaka University, 2-2 Yamadaoka, Suita-shi, Osaka 565-0871, Japan”

4. Page 4, line 17
   We have revised the response rate from 84% to 85%.

5. Page 6, line 24
   We have revised the range of smoking category for men from “never, former, <20, 19–29, 30–39, and ≥40 pack-years” to “never, former, <20, 20–29, 30–39, and ≥40 pack-years”.

6. Page 12, line 10
   We have revised the percentage of non-eligible subjects from 16% to 15%.

We have updated our revised manuscript.

Sincerely,

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