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Dear Editor,

Find enclosed the revised manuscript.

In the method section we added information about the receiving permission to use the data.

Using the data
We performed an observational study without any interventions. In the Netherlands, no approval is necessary from an ethical committee for analyzing data from general practice registration networks. The data are not openly available, permission to use the data is granted by RNUH-LEO, SMILE, Transition project, LINH steering committee, HAG-net-AMC steering committee and the chair of CMR-N.

If there are any questions, please contact me.

Best wishes,

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