Author's response to reviews

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Dear editor,

Many thanks for reconsidering our paper. We appreciate the referees' insightful comments, which we think would considerably add to the quality of the paper. We should note that sometimes the referees suggested comments about a single point, where we tried to come up with an overall revision.

Reply to the referees:

1. Frances Butterfoss
   - All the suggested revisions which appeared within the manuscript through *Track Changes* were applied.

2. Kathryn Braun
   - The suggested revisions in the *Abstract* were fully applied.
   - We followed other reviewer's comments with regard to the *Background* section.
   - We applied comments a, d, e, for the Method section. Comments b and c were followed according to other referee's points.
   - We applied the comment on the *Result* section.

3. Barbara L Dancy
   - Comments 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 were attended to.