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We have revised the ethics section as follows;

Permission to carry out the study was sought and obtained from Chitungwiza Hospital Management and the Health Studies Office (HSO). Ethical approval was granted by the Medical Research council of Zimbabwe as well as the Chitungwiza Hospital Institutional review board. Informed written consent was sought from all study participants. Confidentiality was assured and maintained throughout the study. Names of participants were not written down and participation was voluntary as no payment or cohesion was used. Information was treated as confidential and results of the study were disseminated to Chitungwiza Hospital Management and the Health Studies Office.

We have also included the competing interest section after the conclusions as follows;

Competing Interests

The authors declare no competing interests.