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Dear Mr. Silvestre,

thank you for your reply to our submission regarding ethics and consent..

We added the following text to the methods section (page 8):

All participants gave written informed consent. The study conformed to the principles of the Declaration of Helsinki, as reflected by an a priori approval of the Ethics Committee of the Board of Physicians Mecklenburg-Pomerania at the University of Greifswald.

Best regards, Neeltje van den Berg