Author's response to reviews

Title: Influences of socioeconomic factors on childhood and adolescent overweight by gender in Korea: cross-sectional analysis of nationally representative sample

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Dear Editor,

Thank you for the kind and thoughtful opinion. It makes our manuscript more interesting and meaningful. We tried to revise the manuscript upon your advices. Here below is the explanation giving a point-by-point response to the concerns. The changes to our manuscript are marked using blue color.

Subject: MS: 5422170161117657 - Influences of socioeconomic factors on childhood and adolescent obesity by sex in Korea: cross-sectional analysis of nationally representative sample

Consent statement

Please confirm in a cover letter that parental/legal guardian consent was obtained for the study. If so, please amend the consent statement in the manuscript.

Please also state whether consent was written or verbal.

Ł We revised the consent statement in the manuscript like below;

Ł After obtaining a written consent from the principal of one’s school and legal guardian, face to face interviews were carried out by educated interviewers who used structured questionnaires.

Sincerely,

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