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Title: Apgar score and hospitalization for epilepsy in childhood

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Dear Editor,

We hereby submit our manuscript "Apgar score and hospitalization for epilepsy in childhood" to be considered for publication in the BMC Public Health online journal.

This epidemiologic population-based study of about 130,000 births addresses a topic that has received little attention in the literature, the relation between Apgar score and subsequent epilepsy. Because the Apgar score is widely used to assess the condition of newborn infants, and because epilepsy is one of the most common neurologic disorders, we believe that this paper should be of interest to the audience of the Journal.

We appreciate your time taken to consider this manuscript.

Kind regards,

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