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Please find below our point-by-point reply to the section editor’s comments. We have indented our replies.

1) To describe Harris Hip Score and American Knee Score in the method section. (as suggested by Reviewer)
   
   We have moved the description of the measures to the methods section as suggested.

2) To ensure that the revised introduction is reviewed, as it may need some minor editing for readability. It was difficult to tell with all the track changes.
   
   We have reviewed the introduction without the tracked changes and made minor corrections.
   
   We have gone through the manuscript once again and made formatting and typographic changes.