Title: Work-related musculoskeletal disorders among Nigerian Physiotherapists.

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The Publishing Editor

We are pleased to learn that our manuscript has been accepted in principle for publication in BMC Musculoskeletal Disorders. We have prepared the manuscript in accordance with the journal’s guideline and effected the following corrections suggested by Reviewer 1 (Dr. Linda A. Merlino):

**Background:**
Pg 3 Background, paragraph 3.
The letter “s” has been added to the word indicate. It now read “indicates”.

**Methods:**
Pg 4, paragraph 3.
The word “dichotomous” has been replaced with “categorical”.

**Discussion:**
Pg 7 paragraph 2.
Line 1- The word “The” has been included at the beginning of the paragraph and letter “d” has been added to the word “experience” to reflect “experienced”.
Line 2- The word “the” has been added at the end of the line (i.e. this is similar to the findings of “the” majority).
Line 4- The phrase “that were below 30 years of age” has been replaced with “younger than 30 years of age”
Line 8- The word “of” has been eliminated from the statement (younger physiotherapists “of” less than 30 years of age) as suggested.
Line 10- The word “Nigerian” has been changed to “Nigeria”.

Paragraph 3
Line 1- The word “risk to” has been deleted and changed to the word “contributing to”.
Line 6- Letter “s” has been added to the word “period” to read “periods”.
Page 8, Paragraph 2.
Line 1- The word “the” has been added to the end of the line to read (we found that “the” majority).

Thank you.

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