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Dear Editor,

On behalf of the co authors, I am re submitting this manuscript for your consideration.

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Additional material submitted by the reviewers

As you can see, both referees are now satisfied with the changes made to your manuscript. However, before we are able to pass your manuscript onto our Production department, there are a number of final editorial revisions that we would ask you to undertake.

- Please remove the ethical approval statement now included in the Abstract (?IRB approval was obtained?) and include it in the Methods section. Please update the statement including the full institutional name of the ethics committee that approved your study.
Ethical approval was obtained from the College of Health Sciences, School of Medicine Research & Ethics Committee at Makerere. All participants provided informed written consent.

-Tables 1 and 2 should be cited in the text, in the Results section when describing the corresponding data. This should be included in the text and not as a reference to table placement in the manuscript.

This has been sorted.

The other participant characteristics such as district of origin, parity, contraceptive use are shown in table 1.

Broadly 35 lesions were proliferative and 160 non proliferative

Insert table 1 here

.......................... tuberculosis of the breast were in 4 patients and 13 patients had other diagnoses as shown in table 2.

Yours sincerely
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for the co-authors