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Hereby I now send you a revised version of our paper Personality in women and associations with mortality, a 40 year follow up in the Prospective Population Study of Women in Gothenburg, Sweden MS: 1266748056108569.

1. The source(s) of funding for each author are specified. The role of the funding body is described.

2. The funding statement is moved to the acknowledgements section.

3. The dataset is not publically available according to the Swedish regulations. The data were collected by the researchers at the Sahlgrenska Academy, University of Gothenburg since 1968 when professors Calle Bengtsson and Tore Hällström were part of the steering research committee, now superseded by professors Cecilia Björkelund, Lauren Lauren Lissner and Ingmar Skoog carry on the study.

The data is owned by the Faculty of Sahlgrenska Academy, University of Gothenburg.

4. The spelling to “deceased” is corrected.

With these changes I hope it is possible for you to proceed with the peer review.

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Best regards

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