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Response to reviewer’s comment  
(Reviewer: darong wu)  
Comment: I'm satisfied with the author's reply except the EFA analysis part. Minor Essential Revisions  
I still prefer that results of the EFA analysis, including Comparative fit index (CFI), Chi Square, or RMSEA etc, should be provided in detail. And I believe that the tables which had been published before didn’t present these results.  

Response: We thank the reviewer for re-reviewing the revised version of our manuscript and providing the comment. However, we did not have CFI, Chi Square or RMSEA, etc. from the results of our exploratory factor analysis (EFA) study and thus you can not find these indices in our published tables. On the other hand, CFI, Chi Square, and RMSEA, etc, are the indices of structural equation modeling (SEM) or confirmatory factor analysis (CFA). We have reported these indices from our SEM and CFA analyses in our published papers as well as the SEM in the present article.