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The authors wish to thank the reviewers for their final comments to improve the manuscript and for the second opportunity to revise the document to be considered for publication. Below please find the response to the reviewers' comments and reference to the changes that have been made in the manuscript, as relevant.

Reviewer #1
“This version of the manuscript is more polished and the study results are now presented in a much more succinct and clear manner. I appreciate the efforts put forth by the authors. Other than a minor editorial fix, which I have noted below, the authors have addressed satisfactorily all of my concerns and comments with regards to this manuscript.”

The authors wish to thank the reviewer for the time and effort put into the reviewing process.

Minor Essential Revisions
“Please review and revise the following paragraph on page 26: “...and dimenhydrinate significantly increased the risk of drowsiness compared to ginger. Inger therefore does not seem to pose a risk for any major side-effects...”

Noted with thanks, and corrected in text on page 26, line 1 and 2.
Reviewer # 2

“I am satisfied that the recommended corrections have been implemented by the authors. I therefore have no other comments to add on the content of the manuscript. Thank you for the opportunity to review this manuscript.”

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We look forward to receive feedback from the journal on our revised manuscript.

Yours sincerely,

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(On behalf of the author team)