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Dear Editor

RE: Manuscript for Submission to Trials titled ‘Reporting of complex interventions in clinical trials: Development of a taxonomy to classify and describe fall prevention interventions.’

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