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Dear Editor,

find enclosed the revised version of the manuscript.

We have now specified that "aapproval by local ethical committe is required for each center before starting inclusion".

We also have removed the co-authors by the NYU that could not afford this procedure, but have received the confirmation of 2 collegues from the University of South California (listed in page 1).

thank you for your attention

Sincerely yours

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