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Dr. Martin Eccles  
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Dear Doctors Eccles and Mittman:

My colleagues and I are resubmitting the newly titled manuscript “Disseminating quality improvement: study protocol for a large cluster randomized trial” to be considered for publication in *Implementation Science*. We appreciate the feedback and believe it has helped us strengthen the manuscript considerably.

We have included the consort checklist for cluster randomized trials with our resubmission. Note that we use the terms “organization,” “program,” and “client” to designate the different levels of analysis, with the “program” serving as the unit of randomization and analysis. As requested, the revised manuscript includes sample size calculations (page 12), details on the randomization process (page 13), and an expanded data analysis section (pages 14-15). Additional changes have been made throughout the manuscript, as needed, to address items in the consort checklist. All revisions are marked using the “track changes” feature in Microsoft Word.

Please let us know if further information or clarification is required. We look forward to hearing from you.

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