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Please see attached the revised manuscript, corrections have been made in line with the editors comments.

The Cover letter and COREQ guideline have been removed.

The heading has been changed to Methods

The figure headings have been removed from the main text of the manuscript

The tiles have been removed from the figure files

A clean version of the manuscript has been uploaded.

Thank you for your comments, I hope the manuscript meets your requirements.

Kind regards

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