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Dear Dr O’Donovan,

Re: MS: 7491772681446721
Anticoagulated patient’s perception of their illness, their beliefs about the anticoagulant therapy prescribed and the relationship with adherence: impact of novel oral anticoagulant therapy – The Switching Study

Many thanks for the opportunity to revise our manuscript in light of the editor’s comments.

In the table below are the comments made, along with our responses to these.

We look forward to hearing the outcome of your review.

On behalf of the manuscript authors,

Yours sincerely,

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