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To the Editor-in-Chief

Dear Editor,

We would like to submit the revised manuscript entitled: “Molecular prevalence of intestinal parasites infections in children with diarrhea in Franceville, southeast of Gabon", by OYEGUE-LIABAGUI SANDRINE LYDIE et al., which we would like to present for an original research. The manuscript number for the first revision was ID: INFD-D-19-02707R2.

Indeed, after its second revision on April 03rd, 2020, we received the comments of Editor on April 09th, 2020.

We have corrected the manuscript according to these comments and improved its quality.

We acknowledged all the comments of the editor and incorporated his suggestions.
See from page 2 all our responses to the editor comments.
All authors have seen and approved the manuscript and have taken due care to ensure both the integrity of this work and conformity with national and institutional policies.
Thank you in advance for taking the time to review this revised manuscript.

Sincerely yours,

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RESPONSE TO EDITOR’S COMMENTS

Editor Comments:

1. Please ensure the corresponding author indicated in the title page matches that on the system.
Correct. The corresponding author indicated in the title page matches that on the system.

2. Please rename Introduction to 'Background'.
Correct. The introduction is renamed to the “Background”.

Correct. Materials and methods is renamed to “Methods”.

4. If LGM and MF refers to Gwladys Mirlande Lekolo and Franck Mounioko, please use the initials GML and FM.
Correct. The initials GML and FM were used for Gwladys Mirlande Lekolo and Franck Mounioko.

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