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Dear Editor,

Happy new year! Hope this mail finds you well.

Many thanks for your thoughtful reply. We have carefully walked through your comments and had them addressed as follows.

L166-172: more information about our data has been added. In L169, it should be (61/88) instead of (61/83), and we have revised it. Apologies for being careless!

L96-104: response about XLP has been added.

Table 1: we have removed “variant allele frequency” but kept column “Zygosity” in the table for clearer clarification.

L117-140: suppl. data on seq has been moved to the main text. The revised manuscript has a total 3014 words (2365 words excluding references). Please kindly help evaluate if this number meets your criteria as we didn’t find any requests on your official website. Thank you very much!

Please kindly review the updated manuscript and feel free to let us know if you have further comments. Your feedback is highly appreciated!

Sincerely yours

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