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Dear Dr Burke

Thank you for the comments on the manuscript, “A cross sectional study of upper extremity strength ten days after a stroke; relationship between patient-reported and objective measures”, MS 5303823527285372.

We have responded to the comments; please see the point by point response below.

1. "Trail registration" should read "Trial registration" at the end of the abstract
   This has been changed; please see abstract, line 43.

2. Please include the date that the study was registered at the end of the abstract
   This has been added in the abstract, May 3, 2010, line 43

3. Please provide legends for both figures after the reference list
   This has been changed.

4. Please refer to all figures and tables in an appropriate place in the main text.
   Table 1 is now only referred to in the results line 146. In line 159 and line 161 the word figures has been changed to numbers instead.

Looking forward to hear from you soon,

Yours sincerely

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