Author’s response to reviews

Title: A cohort study of the association between maternal serum inhibin-A and adverse pregnancy outcomes A population-based study

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Response to the editor and reviewer reports:

1. We note that the current submission contains some textual overlap with other previously published works, in particular:
-"Association between isolated abnormal levels of maternal serum unconjugated estriol in the second trimester and adverse pregnancy outcomes." https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.3109/14767058.2015.1075503
This overlap mainly exists in the Methods section.
While we understand that you may wish to express some of the same ideas contained in these publications, please be aware that we cannot condone the use of text from previously published work. We would therefore be grateful if you could reformulate in your own words the overlap between your manuscript and other sources.

Response: The textual overlap (especially in the Methods section) is because the two researched run on the same lab settings and the same team. However, we now reformulate as suggested to avoid the overlap.

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Response: The statement is now corrected. The Availability of data and materials section is changed to
be “The datasets analyzed during the current study are available from the corresponding author upon reasonable request.”

3. We note that SN and RT are included in the Authors' Contributions section, but these initials do not correspond with the names provided on the title page. We also note that the initials for the authors Wannaporn Singnoi and Ratanaporn Sekararithi are not included in the Authors' Contributions. Please be sure to include the full list of authors in the Authors contributions section. If there has been a change to your author list you will need to fill out a change in authorship form and send it by email to the Editorial office to be approved by the Editor. The form can be found here: https://resource-cms.springernature.com/springer-cms/rest/v1/content/7454878/data/v5 Additionally, please be sure to include the initials in the order of the authors given name and then their family name.

Response: Thank you for the observation. The initials are now corrected. The authors are the same but the initials are changed to correspond with the names.

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Response: Only one copy of the figure is provided and all figures are explicitly referred to in the main text.

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