Author’s response to reviews

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Dear editor

We are very grateful for the comments and the suggestions to the last version of the article as they helped us cut down on the text and be more concise. We have accepted almost all of the suggestion and made a few more changes. We only have comments to three points.

The editor is asking for clarification concerning the corresponding authors. The first and second authors are Nepalese. The first author was studying in Norway at the time of the fieldwork and when starting to write the article but has later moved back to Nepal. The third author was her supervisor. The second author is temporarily working in Norway.

Page 6, lines 112-113: You suggest to delete the sentence “Municipalities are usually urban areas while VDCs are rural areas”: This was not in the original version but was added upon suggestion from one of the peer reviewers.

Page 15, line 330: concerning the comment that it’s strange that informant said she took two tetanus injections at one visit. She did claim so. It may be that the health provider did so incorrectly or that the patient have misunderstood what the second injection was for.

We are looking forward to your feedback.

Best regards

Joar Svanemyr