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Dear Dr. Adam,

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Thank you for your e-mail and sending us the reviewers’ comments. We are most grateful to both reviewers. Please find the attached file that contains the point-by-point responses to reviewers:

Gökhan Açmaz (Reviewer 1):
This paper can be accepted and published in your journal.

Thank you.

Syed Abbas (Reviewer 2):

A very well written manuscript which has a original concept. Patient centered care is increasingly recognized as a very important indicator for assessing the quality of healthcare. QALY is a very useful variable in cost effectiveness analysis. The quality of life questionnaire for women with gestational diabetes mellitus can serve to be very useful in designing interventions which are cost effective and measurable. A discretionary suggestion of reflecting on some content from the following relevant publication:


Thank you. The following reference was added as suggested (Background section, line 10, page 3):


I hope you find the revisions satisfactory.

Best wishes.

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