Author's response to reviews

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Dear Editor,

The requests were performed as described below! I hope all of your requests were dealt with adequately.

Kind regards

Editor’s Additional Request:

1. Please Re-format manuscript according for IforA. In particular add methods section to abstract and move methods section after background. Kindly see the link below for your reference:

http://www.biomedcentral.com/bmcophthalmol/authors/instructions/researcharticle

The requested changes were performed. An extra Methods part was added to the abstract and the methods section was moved forward in the manuscript and now ist the next point after the background.

2. Please Remove Conflict of Interest and ethics statements from the title page.

This was performed.

3. Move funding statement from title page to before references and rename as Acknowledgement.

The funding statement was removed from the title page and added before the references and renamed as Acknowledgement.