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1. Please provide the date the trial was registered after the registry information at the end of the abstract.

The date of registration was added (August 5, 2011).

2. Please add a statement to the methods to confirm whether the three ethical committees listed covered the ethical approval at all 26 sites.

The sentence was reworded to make it clear that all 26 sites obtained ethical approval from one of the three ethical committees listed, as follows: “All 26 sites obtained approval of an Institutional Review Board/Ethics Committee (either the New England Institutional Review Board, the Wake Forest University Health Sciences Institutional Review Board, or the UC Davis Institutional Review Board)...”