Author’s response to reviews


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Dear Editor:

We have enclosed a copy of our revised manuscript, titled "The effect of adjunctive intravitreal conbercept at the end of diabetic vitrectomy for the prevention of post-vitrectomy hemorrhage in patients with severe proliferative diabetic retinopathy: a prospective, randomized pilot study". We would like to thank the editor for the comments. The manuscript has undergone a revision accordingly and the point-by-point response are listed on the following pages.

Thank you very much for your careful considerations. We sincerely hope that our efforts have resulted in a better presented manuscript that could be acceptable for publication in BMC Ophthalmology.

Sincerely,

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Point-by-point response to Referee(s)' Comments to Author:

Editor Comments:

1. Consent to participate – clarify if written or verbal

In your “ethical approval and consent to participate” section, please confirm whether informed consent, obtained from all patients, was written or verbal and clearly state this in your manuscript. If verbal, please state the reason and whether the ethics committee approved this.

Response: Thank you for raising this question. Informed consents were written. We have revised the paper accordingly.

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Response: Thank you for raising this question. We have revised the paper accordingly.

3. Tables

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