Author’s response to reviews

Title: Vitamin D levels in schoolchildren: A cross-sectional study in Kuwait

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Dear Editor,

Thank you for your comments.

With regards to your comments on:

1- Demonstrating that the sample is representative of the population.

Kindly note that the study sample is a convenient sample from elementary schools. Similar numbers of students were recruited from each governorate and from each gender. The term representative has been omitted from the only place it was mentioned and has been replaced by the following in the Discussion, sub-title: Vitamin D associations with lifestyle in children:

“The current sample is a convenient sample of Kuwaiti school children 5-11 years old, with similar numbers of students recruited from each governorate, and each gender.”

2- English language review of the manuscript.

Kindly note that the manuscript has been reviewed.
3- Declarations section requirements.

Kindly note that this was initially completed. A reply to my email requesting clarifications of your requirements confirms that this section in my manuscript is fine.

I hope I had fulfilled the requirements of submission and I am looking forward for reviewers comments.

Dr. Khulood Alyahya