Author’s response to reviews

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Dear Prof. Matthew Hickey

Thank you for giving us the opportunity to submit a revision of our manuscript entitled “Study approach and field work procedures of the MentDis_ICF65+ project on the prevalence of mental disorders in the elderly European population”. We have revised the manuscript according to your feedback, and herewith submit our revised manuscript to BMC Psychiatry on behalf of all authors.

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Author reply: Thank you, we have corrected this. KW1 refers to Karl Wegscheider, furthest up on the author list, KW2 to Kerstin Weber, lowest on the author list.

We hope that we have addressed all points appropriately and that our manuscript is now acceptable for publication in BMC Psychiatry and look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

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