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Dear Editor,

On behalf of my team and my co-authors I re-submit with revision our article entitled “Inequities in energy-balance related behaviours and family environmental determinants in European children: Baseline results of the prospective EPHE (Epode for the Promotion of Health Equity) evaluation study” to your journal Biomedical Central Public Health.

I have added an abstract of the article after the “running title” section, line numbers in the whole document and a list of abbreviations before the section of “competing interests” (line 420). In addition in the “methods” section I refer to the formal declaration that the study obtained from the Medical Ethics Committee of the VU University Medical Centre (lines 95-98).

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