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Professor Natalie Pafitis
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Dear Professor Pafitis,

Thank you for providing the editor comments for our manuscript. We have incorporated the recommended changes. Please find below our itemized point-by-point response.
1) Please state in your 'Ethics approval and consent to participate' section whether you received additional approval to access the data for your study from the data custodians, and who the data custodians are.

Response: The requested information has now been provided in the 'Ethics approval and consent to participate' section.

“To undertake this study, the respective data custodians for the NSW CR, the NSW Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages, the ABS, and the NDI provided approval to use each data set and to link records from the NSW Cancer Registry to each data set.” (Declarations section, lines 390-393, p. 25)

We would be happy to clarify any aspect of our response.

Yours sincerely,

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