Author's response to reviews

Title: Daily Physical Activity and Related Risk Factors in COPD

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Dear Editor,

Thank you for accepting our paper for publication in your journal.

We revised our manuscript and address reviewer's comments.

Kind regards,

Ali

Reviewer's Comments:

1: In your highlighted text (lines 112-119) you state that you require 16 hours of wear time to include in the analysis, this seems a little excessive? In my earlier comment I suggested that the Author may want to explain that they have analysed data from 08:00 to 22:00, however in the majority of research using daily physical activity a valid day would only require 8 hours of wear time (480 minutes) in order to be valid. I'd be a little shocked if individuals had worn the accelerometer for 16 hours a day for 7 days while "awake".

Response: We were very lucky to have complaint participants. We had some participants who had worn the monitors even during sleep.
2: You haven't provided a response to the sample size suggestion, if you feel you don't require the addition of one that is fine!

Sample size is not needed.