Author’s response to reviews

Title: A survey on beliefs and attitudes of trainee surgeons towards placebo

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Dear Editor,

We would like to submit a revised manuscript “A survey on beliefs and attitudes of trainee surgeons about placebo” by Mathew Baldwin, Karolina Wartolowska and Andrew J Carr.

As requested by Reviewer 1, we have rephrased sentences on page 6 and page 13. The quotation mark on page 6 has been added and a comma on page 7 has been removed. We are grateful to the Reviewer for these comments.

The number on page 9 was expressed in words to avoid beginning a sentence with a number.

As for Editorial Requests, the manuscript contains an ethics statement on page 4. No individual data are presented in the article and supporting data are presented in the main paper. The details of individual contributions of each author are listed on page 15.

We look forward to hearing from you.
Yours faithfully,

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