Author's response to reviews

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Detailed response to the Editorial Office

Dear Helen Armes,

following amendments have been made to the manuscript with red highlighting:

1a. The study was approved by hospital administration and Ethics Committee of the hospital.

1b. Consent to publish
   “not applicable“ corrected under the consent

1c. Ethics approval and consent to participate
   "Written informed consent was obtained from the prospective part of the study population. “ is added under the consent

2. Abbreviations CBD and CCL corrected as requested

3. All authors have contributed to the conception, design, data acquisition, analysis and drafting of the manuscript. The corrections have been made to the Author’s contributions section.

4. Availability of data and materials
Following amendment has been made; the datasets generated and analysed during the current study are available from the corresponding author on reasonable request.

5. e-mail addresses of all authors have been included in the Title page.

We hope that the corrections made in the manuscript will achieve your acceptance.

On behalf of the writing team,

Anne Mattila, M.D.