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Title: CHANGES IN PLASMA ALDOSTERONE LEVEL AFTER WEIGHT LOSS BY BARIATRIC SURGERY IN MORBIDLY OBESE PATIENTS

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Dear Editor,

Please reconsider our study CHANGES IN PLASMA ALDOSTERONE LEVEL AFTER WEIGHT LOSS BY BARIATRIC SURGERY IN MORBIDLY OBESE PATIENTS for future publication. We would like to thank the reviewers for their comments. Please find a detailed response to each questions/comments below.

Comments of the first reviewer

1. please spell out WHO steps protocol at the first mention then you can use abbreviation later. (Subjects and methods, page 3, line 2)

   • Changes have been made as suggested.

2. I do not still see GFR or kidney disease staging in table 2 as mentioned. (Table 2. Baseline and changes in clinical and laboratory parameters at 3 and 6 months after bariatric surgery, page 8)

   • Data have been added as suggested
Sincerely,

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