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Dear Editor,

Thank you for the opportunity to revise our submission. Below is our response to each request:

1. Please ensure that the abstract provided in the manuscript is identical to the manuscript in the submission system. Currently, the following headings are missing from the abstract in the submission system:

   - Background
   - Methods
   - Results
   - Conclusions
RESPONSE: We apologize for the oversight. The formatted abstract has been added to the submission system.

2. In the section ‘Authors’ contributions’ please refer to each author using their initials as opposed to their full names.

RESPONSE: We made the necessary changes to authors' names.

3. Please remove the redundant section ‘Financial disclosures’ from the Declarations, as financial information is already provided in the ‘Funding’ section.

RESPONSE: Financial disclosures has been deleted.

4. In the section 'Funding', please also describe the role of the funding body in the design of the study and collection, analysis, and interpretation of data and in writing the manuscript.

RESPONSE: As requested, we added that the funding bodies did not contribute to the design of the study, data collection, data analysis and interpretation, or writing of the manuscript.

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