Author’s response to reviews

Title: Child Marriage in Ghana: Evidence from a Multi-Method Study

Authors:
Babatunde Ahonsi (bahonsi@unfpa.org)
Kamil Fuseini (kfuseini@popcouncil.org)
Dela Nai (dnai@popcouncil.org)
Erika Goldson (goldson@unfpa.org)
Selina Owusu (sowusu@unfpa.org)
Ismail Ndifuna (ndifuna@unfpa.org)
Icilda Humes (icildahumes@yahoo.com)

Version: 1 Date: 20 Feb 2019

Author’s response to reviews:

Mailing Address
P. O. Box CT 4906
Cantonment
Accra, Ghana

Editor
BMC Women’s Health

February 20, 2019

Dear Editor,

COVER LETTER

We would like to thank the editor for diligently reviewing our manuscript (BMWH-D-18-00743) titled “Child Marriage in Ghana: Evidence from a Multi-Method Study”. We appreciate the comments and suggestions. The revisions have been effected in the revised manuscript. Kindly see below a detailed description of the revisions.

Editor's comments:

Comment: In your “Ethics approval and consent to participate” section of your Declarations please clearly state whether the consent obtained from the participants was written or verbal. If verbal, please state the reason and whether the ethics committee approved this procedure.

Response: We have clearly indicated in the “Ethics approval and consent to participate” section that in both studies written consent was obtained from participants and that respondents gave their consent to
participate in the studies voluntarily.

Comment: The individual contributions of all authors to the manuscript should be specified in the Authors’ Contributions section. Guidance and criteria for authorship can be found here: http://www.biomedcentral.com/submissions/editorial-policies#authorship

Response: Individual author’s contributions have been specified in the section “Authors’ contributions”

Comment: Please upload your revised manuscript as a single, final, clean version that does not contain any tracked changes, comments, highlights, strikethroughs or text in different colours.

Response: The uploaded revised manuscript is a single, clean version that does not contain any tracked changes, comments, highlights, strikethroughs or text in different colours.

Sincerely,

Kamil Fuseini
Corresponding Author