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Associate Editor comments:

One thing that I would like to ask the authors to make corrections is to improve the qualities of the figures.

For example, background color would be better in white in the figure 1. The color code of figure 4 is very low resolutions and this should be shown clearly.

- We modified figure 1 and figure 4.

Moreover, figure 2 and figure 3 in the methods would be better shown in one figure. Figure 4 and figure 5 in the results would be better shown in one figure.

- We combined figure 2 and figure 3 into figure 2, figure 4 and figure 5 into figure 3.

Editorial comments:

- Thank you for including an 'Ethics approval and consent to participate' sub-section in your manuscript. However, we would ask you to please include a statement in this section confirming that informed consent was obtained from all participants that took part in your study.

- We added subject consent contents. (Line 329-330)
- Please remove your ARRIVE checklist from your manuscript, and your response to the reviewers from your additional files. While we thank you for providing us with these, we do not consider it necessary for either of them to be published as additional files alongside your manuscript.

- We removed checklist.