Author’s response to reviews

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Dear editor,

thank you very much for the opportunity to conduct some last minor revisions.

We have revised the following:

1. We have reordered the declarations so that they are in the following format and placed them after the references;

   Ethics approval and consent to participate
   Consent for publication
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2. We now provide the email address of the corresponding author and have ensured this is indicated on the title page.

3. We now clearly state that all authors read and approved the final version of the manuscript and we have ensured this is the case.

4. We have now defined the used abbreviations in the text at first use, and we provide a list of abbreviations just before the Declarations.
5. We have added a statement to say that the associate editor had no role in the editorial process of this manuscript.

6. At this stage, we have uploaded our manuscript as a single, final, clean version that does not contain any tracked changes, comments, highlights, strikethroughs or text in different colours.

Thank you very much for considering our revised manuscript for publication.

Please don't hesitate to contact us again if you have further questions.

Sincerely,

Manuel Trachsel