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Re: NURS-D-19-00179R2
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Dear Janelle Coore,

Thank you for your email dated 28 January 2020 on the manuscript entitled "Assessing the effects of the nursing education reform on the educational environment in Tajikistan: a repeated cross-sectional analysis". We thank you and the reviewers for the assessment and are glad that the manuscript has been potentially accepted.

In your response you invited us to conduct revisions to the manuscript and resubmit a finalized version. All requested changes have been addressed in the current version of the manuscript, namely:

1. We have reformulated the overlapping elements in the method section that where already described in our previous paper.
2. We have provided the full name of the ethics committee
3. We state n.a. in the "consent for publication" section
4. We have declared the role of the funding body in the study design, analysis etc.
5. We have uploaded Tables and Figures as a separate file
6. We have removed responses to the reviewers
7. We have removed any trackchange and uploaded a final proofread version of the manuscript.

We remain at your disposal to clarify any further questions and look forward to the potential publication. Thank you very much for your consideration.

Yours sincerely,

Filippo Lechthaler (on behalf of all co-authors)