Author's response to reviews

Title: Patterns of Prescription Drug Expenditures and Medication Adherence Among Medicare Part D Beneficiaries with and without the Low-Income Supplement

Authors:

Stella M Yala MD (sylal@mednet.ucla.edu)
Norman Turk MS (NTurk@mednet.ucla.edu)
Susan Ettner PhD (settner@mednet.ucla.edu)
Obidiugwu Kenrik Duru MD, MSHS (KDu@mednet.ucla.edu)
Carol M Mangione MD, MSPH (CMangione@mednet.ucla.edu)
Arleen F Brown MD, PhD (abrown@mednet.ucla.edu)

Version: 2 Date: 8 July 2014

Author's response to reviews: see over
Dear Editor,

Thank you for reviewing our manuscript and providing this opportunity to revise and resubmit it.

Per your instructions, we addressed the following issues in the manuscript

<p>| | | |</p>
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th></th>
<th></th>
<th></th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1. Title page</td>
<td>The title page should:</td>
<td>The title page now has the full institutions and addresses for the authors, email addresses and indicates the corresponding author.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>provide the title of the article list the full names, institutional addresses and email addresses for all authors indicate the corresponding author</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2. Competing interests</td>
<td>Authors are required to complete a declaration of competing interests. All competing interests that are declared will be listed at the end of published articles. Where an author gives no competing interests, the listing will read 'The author(s) declare that they have no competing interests'.</td>
<td>A table has been added to the manuscript indicating that the authors have no competing interests of any kind.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3. Authors' contributions</td>
<td>In order to give appropriate credit to each author of a paper, the individual contributions of authors to the manuscript should be specified in this section.</td>
<td>A table has been added to the manuscript describing each author’s contribution to the project.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4. Requesting Ethics statement</td>
<td>The Methods section of the manuscript provides the name of the ethics committee responsible as well as the reference number assigned to this project by that committee.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Sincerely,

Obidiugwu Kenrik Duru, MD
Division of General Internal Medicine/Health Services Research
David Geffen School of Medicine
University of California, Los Angeles