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Dear Maxine

Thank you for reviewing our manuscript and providing feedback. Please find the authors’ response to Editor’s comments (04/04/2019) below.

With best wishes, Alison.

We have rewritten the sections where overlap has occurred and have up-loaded a ‘clean’ copy of the manuscript to reflect the changes made. This has been labelled “Manuscript”.

The following sections have been re-written:

Background, Paragraph 2, Page 3

The section starting ‘Many refugees are affected by their pre- and post-migration experiences’.

Background, Paragraph 2, Page 4

The section starting ‘Refugee host nations need to understand…….’

Background, Paragraph 3, Page 4

The section starting ‘Longitudinal studies are needed to detect change in the…..’
Data Collection, Page 16

The section starting ‘Semi-structured, one-on-one interviews will be used….’

Data Analysis, Page 16

The section starting ‘Data analysis in this study will be informed by….’

Data Analysis, Phase III, Mixed Methods Study, Page 17

The section starting ‘Mixed methods research provides strength to offset….’