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Dear Nazar and editorial team

Thank you very much for your email and for considering our manuscript for publication. We have made the following changes in response to your comments:

1. Technical Comments: Please provide "Declarations" heading
We have inserted the heading ‘Declarations’ on p.14.

2. Please add a sentence about the aim of the study in the Background section of Abstract.
We have inserted a sentence about the aim of the study in the ‘Background’ section of the Abstract on p.2.

3. Please incorporate your response and clarification to comment 1 of Reviewer 2 (Single arm design) in the limitations of study in the Discussion section.
We have commented on the use of ‘before-and-after’ single arm design in the limitations section on p.11.

4. When reporting the findings of Tables 2-4 in the text of Results section or the abstract, please report the adjusted OR and 95%CI rather than percentages and P values.
We have now replaced percentages and p values with Odds Ratios and 95% confidence intervals in the abstract on p.2.