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Please find below a point-by-point review of alterations requested by the editorial office.

Thank you,
Srinivas Murthy

1) Please change Introduction to Background.
   Done

2.) Ethics
   A statement on ethical approval and obtaining consent is now included in the Methods section. Data availability is already mentioned in the text, available at clinicaltrials.gov

3.) Consent statement:
   See (2) above.

4.) Please provide a List of abbreviations used (if any).
   Now included.

5.) Competing Interests
   Now included.

6.) Authors' Contributions
   Now included.

7.) Acknowledgements
   Now included.