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Drs. Altman, Furberg, Grimshaw,

Thank you for considering this revised version of a randomized clinical trial protocol for a telephone-based rehabilitation program - goal management training (GMT) - for adults with mild traumatic brain injury. We have addressed the concerns and comments of the reviewer and have made changes to the manuscript. These changes are highlighted in the revised manuscript with bold text.

Ethical approval for this protocol has been received from the Institutional Review Board at Vanderbilt University Medical Center. The protocol has been prospectively registered at www.ClinicalTrials.gov (NCT01714531) and has received funding from the National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research (NIDDR) (H133G120052). The SPIRIT guidelines have been followed and the checklist is submitted with the protocol. The authors assure that no part of the study protocol has been published previously or is under consideration for publication elsewhere.

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