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Dear editor,

Thanks for your comments

Please find here ours responses

Following the comments 1), 2), 3), 4), 5), 9), 10), 11) we did the changes in the manuscript.

Following the comment 6) we removed the attached AJE Editorial certificate.

Following the comment 7) we provided further details and citations to describe the rationale for the intended sample size in the study, and we integrated this information into the Methods (lines 193-197)

Following the comment 8) we added a list of abbreviations used in the manuscript following the discussion.

About the comment 12) the document joined is the original one, wrote in English by Noël Lucas, Deputy chief of the PF4 department of the French Ministry for Solidarity and Health.

Following the comment 13) we joined an ongoing ethical approval for your study from the CCP East1 in French and translated in English.

Following the comments 14) and 15) we clarified the authors’ contribution in the manuscript

Hope this article could be accepted soon.

Best wishes