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Dear Editor

We are submitting revised manuscript entitled Analysis of spontaneous reporting of suspected adverse drug reactions for non-analgesic over-the-counter drugs from 2008 to 2017. We have modified the manuscript text and we hope it is now appropriate for publication in your highly respected Journal. Thank you very much for your careful consideration.

Sincerely,
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