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Greetings,

Many thanks to the Editorial Board for reviewing our revised manuscript entitled: “Glycerin Suppositories Used Prophylactically in Premature infants (SUPP) Trial: a study protocol for a pilot randomized controlled trial.”

We have added an additional paragraph to the beginning of the Methods/Design specifying the feasibility objectives. These are consistent with the details described in the abstract and “Outcomes” section. We have also included an additional sentence noting that working through the pilot study may lead to important changes to the inclusion or exclusion criteria or duration of treatment in the multicenter trial.

We would like to thank the Editorial Board again for encouraging us to carefully consider these issues.

Sincerely,

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