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Dear Philippa Harris,

Thank you for noting the inconsistency in authors. Dr. Sheila Evans retired on July 1, 2011. She should not have been listed as an author because she did not read or approve the final version of the manuscript. The Author Contribution section has been edited accordingly. Dr. Evans name has been added to the Acknowledgements.

A title page has been created according to BMC guidelines. There are three authors listed; the corresponding author is noted. I trust that this version will be satisfactory.

The name of the ethics board and the reference number for the protocol has been added to the Methods section.

We are grateful for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Karen Benzies