

## RESPONSE TO REVIEWERS

1<sup>st</sup> March, 2015

Dear Editor,



Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: *UTI prevention Editorial. Revision 1.doc*).

**Title:** Recurrent Urinary Tract Infections In Children: Preventive Interventions Other Than Prophylactic Antibiotics

**Author:** Kishor Tewary, Hassib Narchi

**Name of Journal:** *World Journal of Methodology*

**ESPS Manuscript NO:** 16475

The manuscript has been improved and revisions have been made according to the suggestions of the reviewers. They are described below and have been highlighted in the attached revised manuscript.

1. The title has now been modified to "*Recurrent Urinary Tract Infections In Children: Preventive Interventions Other Than Prophylactic Antibiotics*" in order to shorten it to 12 words.
2. The postcode has now been added to the address.
3. A conflict of interest statement has now been added.
4. A 6-word running title has been added.
5. The abstract has been significantly shortened from 945 to 688 words.
6. Instead of simply listing in the manuscript the prophylactic measures, without any focus on their specific indication, we have now added in the Introduction the steps in the pathogenesis of UTI followed by the respective prophylactic measures for each. We believe that this will improve the comparison between the different measures.
7. As a result, the order of the different prophylactic measures has now been completely modified in the manuscript.
8. The English and grammar have now been revised.

We would like to thank you and the reviewers for your useful comments, which will enhance the quality of the manuscript. We also thank you for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Methodology*

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Hassib Narchi'.

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