

Format for ANSWERING REVIEWERS

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Dear Editor,



Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 20738-Review.doc).

Title: Kidney and cardiovascular risk in primary hypertension

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers:

1 Format has been updated

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer

Reviewer 00070411

Comments To Authors

This is a brief review article regarding the kidney and cardiovascular risk in primary hypertension. It is very interesting, and could be helpful in clinic study and application. Minor comment: Many abbreviations first appeared is without full name, which are unclear to the reader.(e.g., 1) Key words - GFR? 2) TABLES AND ILLUSTRATIONS Figure 1.- LVMI? RAC?)

Answers to Reviewer:

Thank you very much for your appreciation of our work. We have checked the whole manuscript and added *in extenso* explanations to each abbreviation.

In detail:

1. Key words: GFR has been substituted with glomerular filtration rate
2. Tables and illustrations. The following abbreviations have been spelled out: LVMI, left ventricular mass index; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; UACR, urine albumin to creatinine ratio.

Furthermore, a few minor typos have been corrected along the manuscript.

3 References and typesetting were corrected

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Hypertension*

Sincerely yours,

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