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*The Editors:*  
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Dear Editors,

Manuscript NO 26289

Thank you for the reviewers comments.

Reviewer's code 00506239:

- 1 I have amended the aim and the methods to be more clear, and checked word count.
- 2 I have condensed the introduction, by moving one part to discussion, and abbreviating the section on the debate on autism incidence. I thank reviewer and agree that this makes better reading.
- 3 In methods I have included the period reviewed with reasons.
- 4 The concluding paragraph no longer has any references. Further, in terms of practical advice for readers, I have been careful to stipulate that this is confined to urgent epidemiological and basic sciences research, and not clinical advice.

Reviewer's code 02520738

- 1 With respect, I find myself unable to give any advice to the role of a "care manager" at this stage. The article mentioned refers to care of heart failure and diabetes, both common community conditions. The condition discussed in my manuscript is for a rare condition (albeit increasing), and concerns prevention, rather than management of the patient and the disease. I have however addressed this matter in the final paragraph, clarifying that clinical advice at this stage would be premature.

Thank you also for editor comments.

I have highlighted in yellow changes made in response to reviewers as above, and also changes made in response to editor. Responses to comments follow below in order.

- 1 Signed pdf's for each statement have been prepared and will be uploaded.

- 2 Biostatistics statement is also included, and mentioned in manuscript text.
- 3 An audio Core tip has been prepared and included.
- 4 I have placed all the methodology into the one section, and in so doing also shortened the manuscript slightly, new places for text is marked in yellow.
- 5 I have written the requested comments, covering all the five topics, I trust this content is acceptable and enhances understanding.
- 6 Reference number for citations in Table 1 have been added.
- 7 For Figure 2, the decomposable version is a PowerPoint document, which will be provided as a separate document.

Yours sincerely      Dr Nils Bergman