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**Answering the reviewers**

Dear Reviewers, I have not found a form to refer to, so I refer to your comments here. I went through all the reviewer's comments and corrected according to the comments. Regarding the comment on the COVID 19 effect, I referred to the increase in suicide rates in the world due to the epidemic, I did not refer to the comparison of data since the article does not deal with the effect of the COVID 19 on suicide attempts and I don't have the relevant numbers regarding the suicide attempts rates during COVID 19 in Israel.

I hope I have addressed all the comments to your satisfaction,  
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