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Marcia and Sam,

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Here it is with my comments and edits. Please note the analysis related to diabetes self-care activities, HRQOL, and Pain and Fatigue measures were not performed by me, hence I can’t comment on it. I changed the Ns in Table 3 to be the sample sizes of subjects instead of the sample sizes of measurements to avoid potential confusion. I’m fine with your final write-up of limitations.

Best regards,

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