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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Currently, the primary clinical treatment measures for language rehabilitation and psychological intervention are in use. However, traditional methods of language rehabilitation and psychological intervention tend to be monotonous, leading to low compliance among patients and significant variations in intervention outcomes. This study is designed to investigate the effects of transcranial electrical stimulation on language function, serum neurofactor levels, and developmental levels in patients with speech disorders. The findings of this study indicate a promising direction for incorporating TES in standard treatment protocols for speech disorders. The study is overall well designed and the results are interesting. After a minor revision, it can be accepted for publication. Comments: 1. The authors should edit the manuscript by a native English speaker. Some minor language polishing should be proofed. 2. Please further discuss the limit of the study. 3. Data in tables should be checked again. Move the tables to the end of the text. 4. Please update and edit the references list. Please provide the PMID numbers to each reference.