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Issues raised:

(1) The title is too long, and it should be no more than 18 words;

- Title has been shortened and is now 11 words total.

(2) The authors did not provide original pictures. Please provide the original figure documents. Please prepare and arrange the figures using PowerPoint to ensure that all graphs or arrows or text portions can be reprocessed by the editor;

- Original figures have been provided in PowerPoint. Of note, these figures were generated using statistical software that does not allow decomposable parts.

(3) PMID and DOI numbers are missing in the reference list. Please provide the PubMed numbers and DOI citation numbers to the reference list and list all authors of the references. Please revise throughout;

- PMID and DOI numbers have been included, when possible. Of note, several of the references are from older articles that do not have a PMID or DOI. All authors are now listed for each reference.

(4) The “Article Highlights” section is missing. Please add the “Article Highlights” section at the end of the main text.

- Article Highlights has now been included.