

RESPONSE LETTER

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Title: Antitachycardia pacing (ATP) programming in implantable cardioverter defibrillator: a systematic review.

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POINT-BY-POINT RESPONSE

1) A copy of the **revised manuscript** has been submitted.

2) **Answering reviewers.**

a) Reviewer 00607640. Classification: Grade C (good). Language evaluation: Grade B (minor language polishing). Conclusion: Accept. Comments to authors: In this manuscript, the author reviewed the importance of antitachycardia pacing (ATP) programming in the treatment of ventricular arrhythmias. It is suitable to the Journal.

RESPONSE TO REVIEWER: *We agree. We have improved English Language at our best.*

b) Reviewer 00214291. Classification: Grade B (very good). Language evaluation: Grade B (minor language polishing). Conclusion: Accept. Comments to authors: good review.

RESPONSE TO REVIEWER: *We agree. We have improved English Language at our best.*

3) **Copyright assignment.** It has been submitted with the other required documents.

4) **Audio Core Tip.** It has been submitted with the other required documents.

5) **Conflict-of-interest statement.** Submitted with the other required documents. The authors report no relationships that could be construed as a conflict of interest.

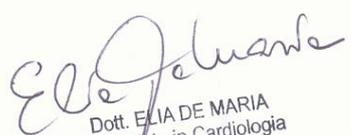
6) **Google Scholar.** We checked the title and stored a screenshot of the results.

7) **Grant Application form.** The manuscript is not supported by any foundation.

8) **Language certificate.** Even if I was born in Italy I am a Native Speaker of English as it was usually spoken in my family since I was born.

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