

## Prevalence and Factors of Work-related Musculoskeletal Disorders Among Hand Surgeons

Dear Reviewers,

Thank you for your additional review of our manuscript. Your comments are constructive and have been applied in the manuscript. Please find below a point-by-point response to your comments. We have modified the manuscript accordingly and hope that we have addressed all your suggestions. We look forward to your feedback.

Kindly note that all line references in the Author Response section and Text change section refer to the revised manuscript line numbering (unless specifically stated).

<b>Reviewer Remark</b>	<b>Author Response</b>	<b>Revised Manuscript Line Number and text change.</b>
<b>REVIEWER 1:</b>		
1. Was there a certain protocol used in conducting this study?	Thank you for the comment, there was no specific protocol for conducting the study. The method of distributing the survey and responses has been added to the methods section.	
2. Was there a reporting guideline used in this manuscript? If yes, please mention in the manuscript	Thank you for the comment, we used the strobe reporting guidelines as required by the journal.	