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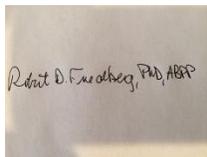
World Journal of Clinical Pediatrics

Dear Dr. Wang,

Thank you for review of my invited manuscript (#67839) entitled, "A Pediatrician-Friendly Perspective on Cognitive Behavioral Therapy for Anxious Youth: Current Status and Clinical implications for the Next Normal" and its conditional acceptance. The reviewer's comments were thoughtful, constructive, and helpful. Accordingly, I added material pertaining to the questions regarding limited literacy and how to care for patients during the exposure procedure on pages 15-17. The revised material is highlighted in yellow. While the reviewer's comment about vulnerability to schizophrenic was interesting, since this paper was explicitly focused in pediatric anxiety disorders, I thought this area was beyond the scope of the present manuscript.

I have completed all the required forms and included the audio tip in the submission. Thank you again for the opportunity to contribute to the journal. I look forward to your reply and publication in the World Journal of Clinical Pediatrics.

Sincerely,

A small, rectangular image showing a handwritten signature in black ink on a light-colored background. The signature reads "Robert D. Friedberg, PhD, ABPP".

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Professor,

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