

## **Response to reviewers' comments**

### **Reviewer code: 00646241**

- Reason for selection of CD:H has been included in discussion.
- Possible idea for further studies has also been added in discussion part.

### **Reviewer code: 01213276**

- We have mentioned when and where the study was performed.
- It is up to the discretion of the reviewers and editorial board to include the figures or not.
- We have checked all the references.

### **Reviewer code: 00742424**

- We have mentioned some data with no significant correlations in the results section.
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