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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 13517-review-2.doc).

Title: A review of the genetic basis of emotion dysregulation in children and adolescents

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The manuscript has been revised in response to the following suggestions of reviewers:

1. The manuscript has been reformatted to meet the requirements of the journal.

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewers

- (1) The abstract has been revised to better summarize the purpose and main findings of this review (pages 2-3).
- (2) Stylistic points have been addressed throughout the manuscript and highlighted in blue.
- (3) We have recapitulated the limitations of literature searches on this topic throughout the manuscript.
- (4) Page 4: We have added the justification for the focus on the three polymorphisms.
Page 5: We have added the description of how we queried and extracted the literature. We also added the summary statistics the query.
Page 7: The authors added more framing of the research to indicate the relation between serotonin and fatty acids.
Page 8: edited sentence syntax from singular to plural.
Page 9: Made "CREB-regulated transcription..." it's own paragraph and edited sentence structure to create a better transition to new paragraph.
Overall cohesiveness of the paper: An introductory transitional sentence has been added to the section "OTHER GENETIC POLYMORPHISMS IMPLICATED IN EMOTION DYSREGULATION" of the manuscript to better guide the reader.
Page 13: We also added a couple of references to exemplify the age-dependent neural correlates of emotion regulation.

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Psychiatry*.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ping-I Lin'.

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