

## **Author's response to reviews**

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Dear Editor,

The manuscript *Mobile and cordless telephones, serum transthyretin and the blood-cerebrospinal fluid barrier: a cross-sectional study* has now been further improved for publication as a research article. The following changes were done in this second revision:

- In response to Prof Kundi's comment the term *latency* in Table 4 has been replaced by *years since first use*;
- Templates according to BMC154d.dot under Instruction to *Environmental Health* authors is now used throughout the text;
- The sentence with the ethical review board approval of the study has been moved from the end of the Background to Methods (changed from Material and methods)
- Table borders now show visible borders;
- The Table-headings have been shortened where longer than 15 words;
- Authors' contributions are now listed in a single paragraph and without bold letters

We hope that by these adjustments the manuscript is now to your satisfaction and look forward to hearing from you soon.

Yours sincerely,

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