**Letter to the Reviewer/Editor**

Reviewer/Editor

Thank you for your feedback on our study. We have provided our responses below in line with the corrections/feedback you have provided. In addition, the relevant places on the main text have been colored.

**Example**

**Reviewer #1**

**Correction 1.** In the methodology section, the author(s) could provide some additional information about the study participants.

**Feedback 1:** Unfortunately, we did not collect data on the demographic characteristics of the participants other than their age and gender.

**Correction 2:** The discussion section is well organized. The findings are discussed based on the results of the relevant literature.

**Feedback 2:** Thank you for this comment.

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**Reviewer #2**

**Correction 1.** Correction of "fears of COVID-19" instead of "fears" throughout the text, Correction of "COVID-19 related fear" instead of "COVID-19 fears" throughout the text

**Feedback 1:** Thank you for the careful review. We have corrected all these sentences in line with the suggestions.

**Correction 2:** The date range in which the study data were collected should be specified. This may be useful for researchers to compare the findings of the study with the course of the pandemic.

**Feedback 2:** We gave the date of data collection in the Method section.

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