## **Editor's comment:**

- 1. The background is vague and short narrative.
- 2. They should state the objectives of the study, sample size, method of analysis and duration of study. It should be improved by demonstrating the methods analysis.
- 3. The conclusion should be more debated and be constructed under the results. Including or say that this study is according to ethical issues.

## Author's feedback:

- 1. The background is clearly stated in the abstract section and is summarised.
- 2. The abstract clearly states that this study evaluated the effect of a daily consumption of soft drink --- the objective
- -The sample size is also clearly stated in the abstract,
- -The method of analysis cannot be described in the abstract because of abstract size, but is clearly described in the method section of this manuscript.
- -The duration of the study is stated in the abstract
- 3. This has been responded to in the conclusion section. It has been made more robust.