

RE: TAGFA nearly done, will send on Monday

Subject: RE: TAGFA nearly done, will send on Monday
From: "Anthony Hanley" <anthony.hanley@utoronto.ca>
Date: 2017-01-24 12:56 PM
To: "'Luke Johnston'" <luke.johnston@mail.utoronto.ca>

Hi Luke,

This is a good first draft - attached are my comments from a first pass review.

I have to run out now to a medical appointment for James so I didn't get all the way through the discussion but I will pick it up again tonight or tomorrow.

A few things that we'll need to work on at this stage:

- as you know I am very particular about introductions as the clarity of messaging here can make the difference between an editorial rejection and a full review - I am going to focus on the intro in the next draft ...

- I know you are trying to be efficient with words but the methods and results for the PLS analysis are too difficult to follow as written. You received similar feedback about the PLS data in the NEFA manuscript from some of the reviewers (and some of your co-authors), so we need to make sure we don't trip over this again. We need some more explanation in the main part of the methods - at least one or two high level sentences - summarizing what PLS does and how it does it ... similarly, I have some comments regarding PLS in the results (see attached);

- an important question that will come up from clinical reviewers is whether specific Tg species (or clusters of species) better predict outcomes compared to clinical Tg. In logistic regression we do this using AROCs ... what is typically done in GEE? For example, can you generate a score for each subject from the PLS clusters and see how that score compares with clinical Tg?

- I have a strong feeling we are going to be asked about the association with incident DM (or incident dysglycemia) ...

- I am a bit confused about the tables and figures ... we'll never get 14 visuals into a paper (5 tables and 9 figures) - I gather you are thinking that a good number of these will be supplemental material?

Are you able to meet tomorrow?

Tony

-----Original Message-----

From: Luke Johnston [<mailto:luke.johnston@mail.utoronto.ca>]

Sent: Sunday, January 22, 2017 9:52 PM

To: hanleyt

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Hi Tony,

Here is the attached TAGFA manuscript.

I'll see you tomorrow at 1pm for Windy's dry run.

Luke

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On 2017-01-20 01:06 PM, hanleyt wrote:

OK, sounds good.
Yes, PA / PD day, so I am working from home (reviewing grants).
Take care,
Tony

-----Original Message-----

From: Luke Johnston [<mailto:luke.johnston@mail.utoronto.ca>]
Sent: Friday, January 20, 2017 11:55 AM
To: Anthony Hanley <anthony.hanley@utoronto.ca>
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Hi Tony,

I'm nearly done the manuscript and I'll send it by Monday (won't be able to today).

Enjoy your PD day (right? James is off?)

Luke

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—Attachments:—

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