

Dear Editors and Reviewers:

Thank you for your letter and for the reviewers' comments concerning our manuscript entitled "**Survey on hospice care attitude of family members of advanced cancer patients at different ages**" (ID: 95327). Those comments are all valuable and very helpful for revising and improving our paper, as well as the important guiding significance to our researches. We have studied comments carefully and have made correction which we hope meet with approval. Revised portions are marked in yellow in the paper. The main corrections in the paper and the responses to the reviewer's comments are as follows:

1 I recommend the authors provide a more in-depth interpretation of the results and compare them to previous studies to highlight the innovation and importance of this study (increase the number of references).

Response: Thank you for your kind suggestion. According to your comments, we have revised the conclusion and added 4 references.

2 Some minor language polishing should be corrected.

Response: Thank you for your kind suggestion. We have resubmitted the revised article for polishing, hoping to improve the language quality.

3 Future researches should focus on larger and more diverse sample sizes to validate these findings and explore other demographic factors (like socioeconomic status, urban vs. rural settings) that might influence attitudes towards hospice care.

Response: Thank you for your kind suggestion. Indeed, as you mentioned, this study needs to expand the sample size and collect data from multiple centers to better evaluate the attitudes of cancer patient families towards hospice care.