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Dear [Author Name(s)],

Thank you for submitting your manuscript entitled "[Manuscript Title]" (Manuscript ID: [XXXXXXX]) to *[Journal Name]*. We appreciate the opportunity to consider your work.

After thorough evaluation by our editorial team and external reviewers, I regret to inform you that we are unable to accept your manuscript for publication in *[Journal Name]* at this time. Our decision was based on a comprehensive review process and careful consideration of the reviewers' comments, which we have included below to provide clarity regarding the grounds for our decision.

We understand that this outcome may be disappointing. Please be assured that the feedback is intended to be constructive and to help strengthen your research for submission elsewhere. We encourage you to address the comments if you choose to revise your paper for another journal.

Reviewer Comments:

Reviewer #1:

- **Strengths:** [e.g., "The topic is highly relevant and timely. The literature review is comprehensive and well-structured."]
- **Weaknesses:** [e.g., "The methodology lacks sufficient detail, particularly regarding participant selection. Statistical analysis does not account for key confounding variables."]
- **Suggestions for Improvement:**
 - [e.g., "Clarify inclusion/exclusion criteria for study participants."]
 - [e.g., "Enhance the discussion section to include recent studies published in the last two years."]

Reviewer #2:

- **Strengths:** [e.g., "The figures and tables are clear and informative."]
- **Weaknesses:** [e.g., "The key findings are not sufficiently supported by the data. Several references are outdated."]
- **Suggestions for Improvement:**
 - [e.g., "Include more recent references from the past five years."]
 - [e.g., "Provide additional data or justification for the main conclusions."]

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