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4. Are you the corresponding author? ☐ Yes ☑ No

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2. Surname (Last Name): Murrell
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4. Are you the corresponding author? ☑ Yes ☐ No

5. Manuscript Title: An exploration of the relationship between age and rotator cuff retear - a study in 1600 consecutive rotator cuff repairs

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