



RESPONSE TO LETTER

# Preferences and Attitudes Towards Digital Communication and Symptom Reporting Methods in Clinical Trials [Response to Letter]

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