

Reviewer's report

Title: Decision aids for respite service choices by carers of people with dementia: development and pilot RCT

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Reviewer: Georgina Charlesworth

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The authors have undertaken a substantial revision of the original manuscript, taking full account of the comments of both reviewers. The resulting paper is a much clearer exposition of methodology and results on which the authors are to be congratulated. I would suggest the addition of a clause at the end of the results section of the abstract that acknowledges lack of statistical significance, but aside from this I am happy to recommend publication.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests