Reviewer's report

Title: No signs of dose escalations of potent opioids prescribed after tibial shaft fractures. A study of Swedish National Registries

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The new version of "No signs of dose escalations of potent opioids prescribed after tibial shaft fractures. A study of Swedish National Registries ", has been re-submitted by Al Dabbagh et al. and has improved. However, there are still grammar and spelling errors e.g. in the Discussion, p. 9: "25% of the patients filled a prescription on opioid analgetics,..." should be analgesics

"However, the doses prescribed...." should be prescribed

"....we did not see any evidence of a major increased dose escalations over time. “ should be ....we did not see any evidence of major dose escalations over time

I recommend that the article will be checked for spelling and grammar errors. I then believe that the manuscript may be published. I do not have further comments or objections.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

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