Reviewer's report

Title: Rheumatic Heart Disease in Uganda: The Association between MHC Class II HLA DRB1 Alleles and Disease: A Case Control Study

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Reviewer: Armando Pucciarelli

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Re-review
Comment by Armando Pucciarelli

The paper has been suitably reworked in the sentences that had been blamed for misleading or too arbitrary statements. In particular, I appreciated the will not to emphasize the role, rather questionable in my opinion, of the genetic tests as a routine tool for selecting the individuals to be proposed for prophylaxis of the rheumatic fever by means of benzathine penicillin.

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