Reviewer's report

Title: Patient acceptability of larval therapy for leg ulcer treatment: a randomised survey to inform the sample size calculation of a randomised trial

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Reviewer: TJ Ryan

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General

Major compulsory revisions (that the author must respond to before a decision on publication can be reached)
none

Minor essential revisions (such as missing labels on figures, or the wrong use of a term, which the author can be trusted to correct)
none

Discretionary revisions (which the author can choose to ignore)

Title of Table 1 Characteristics is mildly misleading because it could mean behavioural factors likely to influence response. Strictly speaking Age, sex and duration" are not Characteristics such as anxious, obsessive or happy go lucky and this reviewer would be happy to re-entitle simply "Age, Sex and duration"

(I have ticked 'limited interest' below. What I really mean is that it is only quite interesting to those that use maggots but not unexpected and not likely to alter practice)

What next?: Accept after discretionary revisions

Level of interest: An article of limited interest

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No

Declaration of competing interests:
I declare no competing interests