Reviewer's report

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The author have corrected most of the comments raised. However, some corrections should still be performed;

1. The author claims that the follow-up time is given in median but in the results it still reads mean.
2. The question of IRB approval was not answered. If the author believe that IRB approval is unneccary, this should be explained and motivated.
3. The text of the results section still state that Table 2 contains etiology data, but it does not.

If these corrections are made, and checked by the Editor, I believe the paper is suitable for publication.