Reviewer’s report

Title: Stoical patients are more likely to have colorectal cancer

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Reviewer: Magdalena Esteva

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1. I have been reviewing author responses and I consider that most of the issues have been addressed.

1. Major compulsory revisions

2. Minor essential Revisions
Again I suggest that additional tables 5,6 and 7 be included in the manuscript and change table 2 by additional table 4 as it is more informative for readers, gives a more comprehensive scope.

In paragraph 2 of the introduction section, there is a word repeated in line 5 ‘that’

References: Change complete by Abbreviated name of journals.

Level of interest: An article of limited interest

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, and I have assessed the statistics in my report.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare I have no competing interests