Reviewer's report

Title: Is there an association between low dose aspirin and anemia (without overt bleeding)?: review

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This paper tackle an important issue regarding the potential effects of low-dose aspirin on hemoglobin serum concentration. It is a narrative review (this should be acknowledged in the title), and the take home message is that there is insufficient information in the literature to draw a conclusion.

Given its nature, the paper provides no new information, but lacking any form of final synthesis of the available data, the reader is left with the exact same uncertainty about the safety of LDA. That said, the paper is well written and the data retrieval is complete as far as I can judge.

Level of interest: An article of limited interest

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.