Reviewer's report

Title: Are elderly people with co-morbidities involved adequately in medical decision making when hospitalised? A cross-sectional survey

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Reviewer: Jan Florin

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Thank you for the opportunity to review this manuscript again. I think that the manuscript has definitively improved in this revised version. The absolute majority of previous remarks has been corrected, changed or clarified. A few remarks has been reflected upon by the authors, but leading to no change in the text - that's OK. I have just minor comments to this revised version:

- The aim ought to be phrased exactly the same in the abstract and in the main text. Now there is a loss of understanding about the investigation of actual degree of control in the abstract.
- The references no 24 and 25 is not present in the main text. Reference no 24 seem to be the exact same as reference no 23. No 25 is not referenced in the main text at all.

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 interes