Reviewer's report

Title: Effects of 3 months of short sessions of controlled whole body vibrations on the risk of falls among nursing home residents

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Reviewer: Borje Rehn

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Minor essential revisions:
Although the text in the manuscript is a lot better, I still believe that the background section is biased. I truly believe, and it has been shown in the literature, that some can perform relatively high-intensity physical training. Should be expressed more carefully.

The reason for using a cushion is not fully explained for the novice reader.

Number of falls are the major outcome in my opinion and should be prioritized in the report. I can't see information on the collecting period, was it for 3 months?

I believe that the table texts can be more expressive, explaining more of the content.

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

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