Reviewer's report

Title: Associations of fetuin-A and osteoprotegerin with arterial stiffness and early atherosclerosis in chronic hemodialysis patients

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The paper by Pateinakis P. et al is improved substantially. The study design, the results and the discussion are now exhaustive and well presented. I have no further major revisions on the manuscript.
I would only signal a minor typo in page 6, 2nd paragraph: “ccIMT” and not “ccMT”.

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 interest' below