Reviewer's report

Title: The Efficacy and Safety of Lanthanum Carbonate on Chronic Kidney Disease Mineral and Bone Disorder in Dialysis Patients: A Systematic Review

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I still think that the paper is unbalanced (see the clear bias on the abstract and on the conclusions: the authors clearly wanted to demonstrate the "superiority" of Lanthanum "it was no possible to Demonstrate that Lanthanum is superior"). Moreover the criticism against the Sevelamer (chlorite) is very strong while a few words are dedicated to the carbonate formulation.

Thus my suggestion is reject

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 interests