Reviewer's report

Title: Differences in relative risk of stillbirth among women of different regions of origin compared with women from Germany: an analysis of the German perinatal database, 2004-2007

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Authors have satisfactorily addressed the different concerns raised by the reviewers by improving the revised version accordingly. The manuscript is more complete and reads better now.

In the abstract, where it says "After stratification for small/light for gestational age, the relative risk of stillbirth for women from the Middle East/and North Africa increased to 1.63 (95 % CI 1.25–2.13)" it may be necessary to clarify to which stratum the RR is referring to.

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

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, and I have assessed the statistics in my report.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests