Reviewer's report

**Title:** A prospective randomised trial comparing nasogastric with intravenous hydration in children with bronchiolitis (protocol) The comparative rehydration in bronchiolitis study (CRIB)

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**Reviewer:** Federico Martinon-Torres

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Minor Essential Revisions
In the limitations section authors should also mention:
- infant below 2 mo are excluded, and thus, results are not extrapolable to this group, particularly important and with severe course in bronchiolitis
- why not using a clinical scale for the assessing
- the exclusion of those patients above normal daily requirements
This points were correctly answered in the rebuttals, but they are still limitations.

**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'