Reviewer's report

Title: Pilot study of a model-based approach to blood glucose control in very-low-birthweight neonates

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Minor Essential Revisions

Figure 1: Some letters are missing on the "Measurement box" Blood, Insulin, Nutrition

Table 2: number of episodes? I think patients is better

Discretionary Revisions

I think you should explain better the model insulin sensitivity, it was not clear to me, and maybe the reader doesn't want to go to other references, so it would be nice if you can do it in one paragraph.

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