Reviewer's report

Title: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis of Randomised Controlled Trials of Peer Support for People with Severe Mental Illness

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1) I think the manuscript has been improved and is well written. However, there are some typos that should be fixed. For example, on p16:

'Combining the studies, there was very low confidence in evidence of no effect on quality of life (SMD -0.24, -0.40 to -0.08).'

Isn't this suggesting a small positive effect on quality of life rather than no effect?

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

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