Reviewer's report

**Title:** Sickness absence in musculoskeletal disorders - patients' experiences of interactions with the Social Insurance Agency and health care. A qualitative study.

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**Reviewer:** Ole Steen S Mortensen

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The manuscript is now satisfying, and the changes made have taken my comments into account,

**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'