Reviewer's report

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<Major Compulsory Revisions>
My main concern is that authors conceptualized components of the Job Content Questionnaire (i.e., job demands, job control, workplace support) as uni-dimension. From theoretical viewpoint, the Job demands-control (-support) model originally assumed that job control and workplace support are moderators in the relationship between job demands and health outcomes. Hence, this study has a theoretical conflict with the Job demands-control (-support) model. What do you think of it? In addition, please clarify the rationale for applying the Job Content Questionnaire in your study by assuming that the questionnaire has uni-dimension.

Level of interest: An article of limited interest

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests.