Reviewer's report

Title: An investigation of factors associated with the health and well-being of HIV-infected or HIV-affected older people in rural South Africa

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Major Compulsory Revisions
None

Minor Essential Revisions
p16 Older people who had lost an adult (insert "child") due to HIV were more likely to be in poor physical and emotional health than those with a living HIV-infected adult (insert "child") (Table 4).

p28 Group 1 if older people on HIV treatment for 1 year or more; Group 2 (not "1") is older people on HIV treatment for 3 months or less;....... p29: Footnote to Table 1:
Group 1 is older people on HIV treatment for 1 year or more; Group 2 (not "1") is older people on HIV treatment for 3 months or less;....... Discretionary Revisions
None

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

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Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

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I declare that I have no competing interests