Reviewer's report

Title: Child maltreatment and hypertension among young adults

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Discretionary revisions only:
(1) Page 4 end of first paragraph, the authors state "Previous research has documented that women may be more likely to cope with stress by exhibiting behaviors that are obesogenic, which may contribute to elevated blood pressure, while men may be more likely to cope by expressing non-obesity promoting behaviors.[13] ". The authors may want to provide some examples of non-obesity promoting behaviors in parentheses.

(2) Discussion section: The first sentence is in a paragraph by itself-- is this intentional or was there spacing issues with the second 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.