Reviewer's report

**Title:** Prevalence of Depression among People with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus: a Cross Sectional Study in Palestine

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Major comments
1. The study is cross-sectional, but to show the relationship between depression and diabetes, it will be necessary to do a longitudinal study.

2. If the paper were to be written as a general statement of the prevalence of depression among Palestinian women with diabetes, it would be of more value.

3. It would be of much more impact if the diabetes patient had a control group from the general population.

**Level of interest:** An article of limited interest

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable

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

**Declaration of competing interests:**

No competing interests.