Reviewer's report

Title: Prevalence of hearing loss induced by high sound pressure levels among people working with sound systems and general population in Brazil: a cross-sectional study.

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Reviewer: Peter Rabinowitz

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Major compulsory revisions
1) acknowledge that residual confounding could partly explain results
2) explain finding of differences in ototoxic exposures

Minor essential revisions
Check grammar throughout

What next?: Unable to decide on acceptance or rejection until the authors have responded to the major compulsory revisions

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

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

Declaration of competing interests:

I have no competing interests