Reviewer's report

Title: Psychometric evaluation of the Problem Areas in Diabetes (PAID) survey in Southern, rural African American women with Type 2 diabetes

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Reviewer: Dereck Hunt

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General
The authors have evaluated the psychometric properties of the Problem areas in diabetes (PAID) survey in a large sample of rural African American women with Diabetes Mellitus Type 2. The research identified a 2-factor solution to the PAID survey, which differed from previous research assessing this survey in different populations.

Major Compulsory Revisions (that the author must respond to before a decision on publication can be reached)
- nil

Minor Essential Revisions (such as missing labels on figures, or the wrong use of a term, which the author can be trusted to correct)
- nil

Discretionary Revisions (which the author can choose to ignore)

What next?: Accept without revision

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

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.