Reviewer’s report

Title: The Iranian version of 12-item Short Form Health Survey (SF-12): factor structure, internal consistency and construct validity

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Reviewer: Ulf Jakobsson

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Hi
I think that the revision made by the authors is satisfactory. I have only some minor comments that the authors should consider:
- Table 5a and 5b should be merged and the layout revised. Furthermore, only eigenvalues for factor 1 and 2 (as well as explained variance) needs to be given.
- To be noticed there is more than one study published indicating the SF-12 isn’t a (fully) valid and reliable measure.

Good luck with the manuscript and your future research

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Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, and I have assessed the statistics in my report.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests