Reviewer's report

Title: Airway, but not serum or urinary, levels of YKL-40 reflect inflammation in early cystic fibrosis lung disease.

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Major Compulsory Revisions: None

Minor Essential Revisions: None

Discretionary Revisions:

(1) I would suggest the authors remove the serum YKL-40 data points for Figure 2 as this does not add much (report as you did only in the figure legend instead)

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:

None