Reviewer’s report

Title: Nordic Walking in the treatment of chronic low back pain patients. A single blind randomized clinical trial.

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Reviewer: Rahman Shiri

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In the following sentence "baseline level" is not clear. This has not been clarified in the manuscript.

The analysis of the influence of expectations on the outcome was performed in a regression model adjusting for individual baseline level.

Abstract: 136 subjects were included in the study, not 151.

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.