Reviewer's report

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The authors have responded to all my comments appropriately. Though I still feel that the knowledge gained may be improved with the full dataset and longer term follow-ups planned, the data presented in this manuscript will be of interest to researchers and clinicians alike.

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