Reviewer’s report

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Minor Essential Revisions

The authors have generally responded well to the points raised by the reviewers. However, two points must be highlighted more clearly in the limitations section of the discussion: the fact that despite the control of covariates it cannot be excluded that differences in PD were due to factors other than the type of pain (e.g. different clinical setting) – and the fact that assessment of PD with only one rater does not allow to draw conclusions about the interrater reliability of this type of more quantitative PD rating..

Minor point: p10, line 9: „opinion“, not „meaning“

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

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests