Reviewer’s report

Title: Adverse events after naprapathic manual therapy among patients seeking care for neck and/or back pain. A randomized controlled trial

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This MS presents the results of a randomized clinical trial of naprapathic manual therapy to the spine in a large number of subjects with respect to the adverse events which occurred in this trial.

This MS is very well-written and the study was conducted in an excellent fashion. The Methods and Results are very well-described. The findings support the conclusions. The strengths and weaknesses of this study are well-presented and the weakness do not invalidate the study.

I recommend publication as is.

Level of interest: An exceptional article

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.