Reviewer’s report

Title: Physical activity is associated with a low prevalence of musculoskeletal disorders in the Royal Norwegian Navy: a cross sectional study

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Reviewer: Alex Burdorf

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General
The manuscript has improved certainly due to the considerate response of the authors and subsequent adjustments

Major Compulsory Revisions (that the author must respond to before a decision on publication can be reached)

Minor Essential Revisions (such as missing labels on figures, or the wrong use of a term, which the author can be trusted to correct)

I may be too much of a school teacher, but the phrase 'response rate' is incorrect, since it is formally not a rate (new occurrence over a specified time period), hence, I advise to delete the term rate here.

Discretionary Revisions (which the author can choose to ignore)

What next?: Accept after minor essential revisions

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:
I declare that I have no competing interests