Reviewer's report

Title: Pudendal nerve decompression: a basic procedure in perineology

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Reviewer: Ali Shafik

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- Table 1: • The 'MVT' needs to be - defined according to Mouchel
  - referenced
  • Reference to 'Levatorplasty, according to Shafik" should be added

- On page 4 in the 5th paragraph, the details and results of 'history and clinical examination of the 3 perineal axis' should be mentioned.

- A reference for the 'sign' relating to the 'hold and roll test' mentioned in the 1st paragraph of page 5 should be included.

- Reference 31 needs to be completed.

REPORT (replying to questions of pages 2 – 5)

A - Questions 1 – 7 are all answerable with 'yes'.
B - Minor essential revision is requested which the author can be trusted to correct.

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

Declaration of competing interests:

None.