Reviewer’s report

Title: Gene expression of sternohyoid and diaphragm muscles in type 2 diabetic rats

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The manuscript is still descriptive, but the significance importance of the field. My suggestion is that the authors could introduce a new table or figure comparing the modifications in gene expression in diabetes type 1 e type 2.

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