Reviewer's report

Title: Efficacy of methylsulfonylmethane supplementation on osteoarthritis of the knee: a randomized controlled study

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Reviewer: Allen Sawitzke

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The manuscript is much improved with the clarifications added since the first round of review. Like other nutraceuticals studied, a small but consistent benefit seems to be supported.

Minor Discretionary Revisions and Corrections

Discussion

Paragraph 7-“There is a good change” was meant to be “There is a good chance”.

Paragraph 9-why not report the VAS for pain as 17mm to be in comparison to the other measures reported in this paragraph rather than the 0.17cm as reported.

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

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.