Reviewer's report

Title: A Prognostic Model for Estimating the Time to Virologic Failure in HIV-1 Infected Patients Undergoing a New Combination Antiretroviral Therapy Regimen

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- Major Compulsory Revisions
  We asked for a more detailed description of the statistical models used in this paper. The authors have replied with the inclusion of two separate sections describing these methodologies and the differences between the techniques used. The reply was more than sufficient.

- Minor Essential Revisions
  More references referring to the "R" libraries have been included.

- Discretionary Revisions
  We asked for a further explanation of the terms "multivariable" and "univariable". An accurate description of these terms has been provided.

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.