Reviewer's report

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1. Minor Essential Revision:

In the abstract, should this be "70%"?

"Stringent requirements for laboratory values resulted in a decrease in the number of potential subjects by nearly 70."

Level of interest: An article of limited interest

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.