Reviewer's report

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Major compulsory revision
Page 6: Is this instrument measuring burnout validated (factorial analysis)? Why the authors did not use a validated measure such as Maslach Burnout Inventory? Some explanations are needed.

Minor essential revision
Page 22: In Table 3, please add p value for each correlation.

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' below.