Reviewer's report

**Title:** Support groups for dementia caregivers - Predictors for utilisation and expected quality from a family caregiver's point of view: A questionnaire survey

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The authors have improved their manuscript by making a stronger argument for increasing support group utilization (e.g., citing the Sorenson and Pinquart study), and a better balance of existing literature on other treatment options for caregivers. I believe this manuscript represents a valuable contribution to the caregiver literature.

**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'