Reviewer's report

Title: Distribution but not amount of protein intake is associated with frailty: A cross-sectional investigation in the region of Nurnberg

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The manuscript has been improved. Still recommend editorial review prior to publication for edits to grammar and sentence structure, especially the use of commas for proper emphasis.

For example, in the abstract, 2nd sentence should be changed. Currently it states, "Besides the amount of protein its distribution over the day is discussed to affect protein anabolism." This should be changed to, "Besides the amount of protein, its distribution over the day is thought to affect protein anabolism."

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

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

Declaration of competing interests:

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