Reviewer's report

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The authors’ provided an impressive and convincing point-by-point response to the comments. Almost all of their additional analyses show that their main results are robust and the chances of bias or confounding influencing their results are low. They were also objective enough to reconsider some of their decisions.

I have no further concerns on this paper.

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.