Reviewer's report

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- Major Compulsory Revisions
  None

- Minor Essential Revisions
  None

- Discretionary Revisions

1. I did not notice any problem considering data deposition, whereas, the quality of the manuscript was satisfactory, meeting most of the reporting standards. However, authors should refer to table 1 into the results and discussion section.

2. The title of the manuscript may be improved in terms of being more accurate. I suggest something like: “Alexithymia and its relation with burnout, depression and family support among Greek nursing staff”.

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.