Reviewer's report

Title: Lifestyle interventions for overweight and obese pregnant women to improve pregnancy outcome: systematic review and meta-analysis

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Reviewer: Jodie Dodd

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Obesity in pregnancy is an increasingly common clinical problem, and one associated with well documented risks. The review includes both randomised and non-randomised studies, without language restrictions, and has utilised robust and well described systematic review methodology. The findings of the review are consistent with others published on the topic, and highlights the lack of high quality evidence on which to base clinical practice recommendations for interventions.

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.