Reviewer's report

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The major compulsory revisions raised in the first version of the manuscript were addressed in this revised manuscript.

Minor Essential Revisions
Page 8, Results section, last paragraph: “The following estimates of excess mortality were obtained after calculating the maximum quantification of screening the negative effect in good-quality methodological studies » This sentence is unclear and could be rephrased.

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