Reviewer’s report

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GAD-7 is mentioned as a primary outcome measure on p. 13, but not in the analysis section.

I assume there should be citations for the original papers associated with each measure in the measures section.

I'd like to see some evidence regarding the psychometric properties of the measures chosen in the measures section in addition to descriptions of the measures.

It’s not clear why the 'Zigmond and Snaith' reference is written in full in the methods section, when other citations are numeric.