Reviewer’s report

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The supplied revisions to the manuscript (mostly) satisfy the initial reviewers’ comments. I suggested several instances where text should have been re-worded or replaced. Mostly this has not been done, but rather additional, explanatory text has been added. Whilst this is probably ok it does make the manuscript a little longer and more verbose than it really needs to be. Additionally, there are some parts of the new text that are not grammatically correct and which need correcting by a copy editor.

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

Declaration of competing interests:

As noted previously, I am the Manager of the Australian New Zealand Clinical Trials Registry which is one of the registries surveyed for this paper.