Reviewer’s report

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Reviewer: Richard Werkmeister

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General

Major Compulsory Revisions (that the author must respond to before a decision on publication can be reached)

Minor Essential Revisions (such as missing labels on figures, or the wrong use of a term, which the author can be trusted to correct)
Resp. Introduction and conclusions:
The authors should explain which kind of tmj-surgery is possible today, and include some data about long-term success of tmj-surgery.

Discretionary Revisions (which the author can choose to ignore)

What next?: Accept after minor essential revisions

Level of interest: An article of outstanding merit and interest in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

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