Reviewer's report

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Comments to authors:

My opinion towards the current manuscript remains the same. The observed improvement is most likely due to the natural course of the disease rather than the effects of stem cell transplantation. Besides, it is unethical not to give medications with known therapeutic effects to the patient.