Reviewer’s report

Title: The role of urine neutrophil gelatinase-associated lipocalin (NGAL) in patients with ST-elevation myocardial infarction

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First of all I would like to thank the authors for their work. Beneath I have listed my comments to the manuscript.

Major Compulsory Revisions
1) The authors should comment on the limitations of the study in the discussion section.
2) In my opinion there are quite a lot of writing errors in the text that need to be corrected before publication.

Minor Essential Revisions
1) Please correct the symbols in tables 1, 2 and 3.
2) If possible, please supply the NGAL Limit of detection (LOD) value and Upper reference limit (URL) in line 110-115.

Questions for the authors:
1) The authors write that they included 61 consecutive patients in a 15 months period. Does that mean that only 61 patients had PPCI performed on the indication "STEMI" in a 15 months period, or were the included patients in fact not consecutive?

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:

I declare that I have no competing interests.