Reviewer's report

Title: Dependency-like behaviors and pain coping styles in subjects with chronic migraine and medication overuse: results from a 1-year follow-up study.

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In this paper the authors analyze personality traits, dependence-like behavior and pain coping styles in 63 patients (finally 42) with CM and medication overuse one year after detoxification. Subjects who did not improve showed higher dependency-like behavior. The paper addresses a topic of interest, the number of patients is reasonable, methodology is correct and results are sensible. Discussion is well-written and critical with their results.

They should clarify to which groups belongs the first sentence in the Conclusions of the Abstract.

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

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.

Declaration of competing interests:

I have no competing interests regarding the content of this paper.