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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The paper is original and fine. In general shorten text a little in all sections. MO is no good abbreviation as it is often used for Migraine with Out aura in the literature and not for medication overuse.

Results section - Please avoid repetition of numbers in the text which are also available in the Tables.

Please mention and discuss the important / possible causative differences among those whom did not improve or relapse vs. those whom improved after detoxification.

Please discuss whether it is necessary with the complex detoxification used in your study and the use of prophylactic medication.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

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

Declaration of competing interests:

None