Reviewer's report

Title: Multiple Intracranial Arteries Stenosis Influence the Long-term Prognosis of Symptomatic Middle Cerebral Artery Occlusion

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Reviewer: Bernard Yan

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Minor essential revisions

1. In the abstract and introduction, please state clearly the hypothesis.
2. Methods section:
   a. How was MCAO defined? E.g. was it determined by degree of stenosis exceeding 50%? If so, please confirm if stenosis 40% on DSA was categorized as non-MCAO?

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

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.