Reviewer’s report

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The manuscript has improved significantly. The new data added to Figure 6 is very interesting and strongly support the conclusions of the paper.

I have a few questions that need clarification (Minor Essential Revisions):

HNOKs cultures: the authors mention that HNOKs were obtained from 3 patients. It is unclear whether RNA and protein experiments in Fig1 were done with HNOKs from different patients. Was RNA or protein pooled from different patients?

Page 10, line 4: “The specimens were healthy oral mucosal epithelium”. This sentence probably applies to the previous paragraph and should be corrected.

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:

I declare that I have no competing interests