Reviewer's report

Title: Operative Management of Cryptorchidism: Guidelines and Reality - a 10-Year Observational Analysis of 3587 Cases

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The authors have presented a well-written retrospective cross-sectional study, assessing compliance rates for orchiopexy in Germany. They have appropriately addressed the reviewers critiques and have revised their article accordingly.

Major Compulsory Revisions - None
Minor Essential Revisions - None

Discretionary revisions:
In the introduction, the authors quote a range of up to 5% term infants will have undescended testicles. While this may be technically correct, it is a high estimate of undescended testicles in full term males. Many authors will quote an average range of 3% (Barthold JS1 and González R. 2003: 2-4%; K. Sijstermans, W. W. M. Hack, R. W. Meijer and L. M. van der Voort-Doedens 2008: 1-4.6%)

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

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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