Reviewer’s report

Title: Trends and correlates of unhealthy dieting behaviours among adolescents in the United States, 1999-2013

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Reviewer: Marte Karoline Kjøllesdal

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The paper has improved, and should be well received.

I have one additional comment which you may consider: Weight loss intentions (WLI), as described, is not really weight loss intentions, but weight change intentions, as it includes both reducing and increasing weight, as well as not trying to change weight.

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