Reviewer's report

Title: Integrating Mobile health and Physical Activity to reduce the burden of Chronic low back pain Trial (IMPACT): a pilot trial protocol

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Reviewer: Amelia J J Birney

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Thank you for the opportunity to re-review this protocol manuscript. This is a much-improved article that now clearly describes the study protocol. I commend the authors for their careful attention to all comments received in the prior review.

I have no further concerns that would hold this manuscript back from publication and recommend that it proceed through the publication process at this time.

Minor Essential Revision:
In the Discussion paragraph, please list all 3 of the primary outcomes in the following sentence: "This intervention aims to empower patients to self-manage their LBP, as well as to prevent back pain recurrence, *disability* and to reduce care seeking..."

Amy Birney

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.