Reviewer’s report

Title: Open subpectoral biceps tenodesis in patients over 65 does not result in an increased rate of complications

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Reviewer: Patrick Pabian

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Thank you for your submission. I feel that this topic is important and of interest to much of the readership and sports medicine community. This study is well-referenced and well-written. Although it does have some design limitations and sample size discrepancies, it utilized appropriate statistical analyses. Some of these flaws could be described in greater detail. In addition, some dialogue on rationale for higher complication rates compared to other studies could add benefit to the manuscript. Authors made appropriate interpretations from the data and responsible conclusions.

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