Reviewer’s report

Title: Perioperative complications after surgical treatment in degenerative adult de novo scoliosis

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The paper is well written and the results are interesting, but the limit is the inclusion criteria.

In particular is not clear (in my opinion) the initial diagnosis that lead to DAD.

I suggest to add a new tab with the initial diagnosis and then I suggest to explain it in the text.

I suggest also to add a flow chart.

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