Reviewer’s report

Title: An in-depth analysis of glycosylated haemoglobin level, body mass index and left ventricular diastolic dysfunction in patients with type 2 diabetes

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Reviewer: Nikolaos Papanas

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This is an interesting study with in-depth analysis. It included an adequate number of participants.

Major comment:

1. The rationale of the analysis is questionable and needs to be convincingly explained.

2. Please do not use the term "systematic analysis"

Minor comments:

1. Please consider shortening the Introduction.

2. Please correct grammar (verbs, repetitions of identical phrases).

3. Perhaps the Abstract can be improved in clarity and simplicity.

4. Please discuss the limitations.

5. The clinical implications are again dubious and need to be explained.

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