Reviewer’s report

Title: Music in palliative care: a qualitative study with patients suffering from cancer

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The authors present a revised version of their qualitative study of a music and drama intervention in patients with advanced cancer on palliative care ward. After major revision, this manuscript has improved significantly. However, I’m still not sure if it does reach the high impact of BMC Palliative care has it exhibits several methodologic limitations and does not present to much new information.

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