Reviewer’s report

Title: "Developing a patient decision aid for the treatment of women with early stage breast cancer: the struggle between simplicity and complexity"

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Reviewer: Mirjam Marjolein Garvelink

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I would like to thank the author for revising the paper. In general, the author responded well to my queries. However, in some cases I would have preferred to see the answers to my questions in the paper, instead of in the response to me only (especially when it concerned a limitation to the study). As my previous review was quite thorough I do not have new things to add. The paper reads a lot better now, I like the addition of table 4.

I still see both ptDA and decision aid in the text, but perhaps this is on purpose? (also in abstract)

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