Reviewer's report

Title: A Retrospective, Matched Cohort Study of Potential Drug-Drug Interaction Prevalence and Opioid Utilization in a Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy Population Initiated on Pregabalin or Duloxetine

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Reviewer: Andrew McLachlan

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I have no further comments

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

Declaration of competing interests:

I have received In-kind funding from Pfizer for the PRECISE trial. PRECISE, a two arm, double blind randomised controlled trial of pregabalin in addition to usual care compared to placebo with usual care for reducing leg pain in patients with sciatica funded by an NHMRC Research Project grant.

I am a Chief Investigator on this grant and a named investigator on the protocol. Pfizer have provided the pregabalin and placebo capsules for this trial (ACTRN12613000530729)

Trial details here:
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC3711833/