Reviewer’s report

Title: Identification of biomarkers and drug repurposing candidates based on an immune-, inflammation- and membranous glomerulonephritis-associated triplets network for membranous glomerulonephritis

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Authors have satisfactorily answered all the concerns. Few more minor concerns are below:

1. Baseline table should be comparing characteristics between cases and controls. Also, separate each characteristics by separate rows (for example, male and female separately for cases vs. controls)

2. Based on comment 5, provide more details on combining Q values, add few lines for the readers to understand. Is it Q statistics from reference 20?

3. Please provide the scores generated for each patient in two equations ScorePCC and Scoredif as a supplementary table.

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