Reviewer's report

**Title:** Comparing super-rigid braces effectiveness. ART vs Sforzesco (SPoRT) brace: a matched case-control multicentre short-term study according to the SOSORT-SRS recommendations

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**Reviewer:** Toru Maruyama

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I enjoyed reading the manuscript comparing ART brace and Sforzesco brace. Results of these braces were favorable and comparable.

Minor Essential revision

Age of the patients in Abstract, "age (14.9±0.3 for ART vs 13.9 13.3±0.3 for Sforzesco), was incorrect and did not coincide with that in the Table 2.

**Level of interest:** An article of importance in its field

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable

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

**Declaration of competing interests:**

I declare that I have no competing interests.