Reviewer's report

Title: A feasibility study of 60 consecutive patients operated for unstable thoracic cage compared to historical controls treated in a mechanical ventilator

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Reviewer's report:

The revisions are adequate and the paper is much improved.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

Statistical review: Yes, and I have assessed the statistics in my report.

Declaration of competing interests:

No competing interest.