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Re-review of revised manuscript entitled
"Safety and Efficacy Assessment of Acupuncture Treatment for Carotid Atherosclerotic Plaques: Study Protocol for A Randomized, Single Blinded, Controlled Clinical Trial"

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The authors have clarified the comments that I raised in my previous review. Fortunately, on this revision, most of the general problems have been addressed.
On page 12, line 119 please delete the sentence "The main objective…" because according to above sentence "The purpose of this study is to provide data…", both texts convey the same purpose.
Overall, I approved this manuscript and I admire the authors' patience and effort.

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