Reviewer’s report

Title: Direct oral anticoagulants in treatment of cerebral venous thrombosis: a systematic review protocol

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First of all, thank you so much for the opportunity allowing me to be part of the article's reviewers (SYSR-D-18-00348).

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This protocol is a critical question for the minor population suffering from cerebral venous thrombosis. However, there are two ongoing large randomized clinical studies trying to prove the efficacy/safety of DOACs on the treatment of CVT. I don't think that the protocol of systematic review would add much benefit on current ongoing trial to the level of practice changes. We have many meta-analyses that provide the safety/efficacy of DOACs over warfarin in particular population not included in the very first randomized trial release in early 2000.

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