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Reviewer: Lawrence Mbuagbaw

Reviewer's report:

Minor comments

Page 9, line 1: we calculated descriptive statistics of continuous variables "and" means and standard deviations………

Replace "and: with such as

Page 9, line 8: Alpha for all analyses…..

Replace "Alpha" with "The threshold for statistical significance, alpha was set at"……

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Table 2 and corresponding text are not consistent. In the text the findings are presented as % and one would assume a categorical comparison such as a chi square test. In table 2 the data is presented as medians. Are these the median of a percentage? If so the % should be added to the table.

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