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Language quality	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection
Conclusion	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept (High priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Accept (General priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Minor revision <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Major revision <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
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I see there are earlier studies in this regard:

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Therefore the authors are urged to explain more in the introduction why this study is important and what new findings it adds to the literature. Besides, please re-write the whole paper in accordance with the PRISMA 2020 checklist, which is much more comprehensive than the 2009 version. All the items and sub-items of PRISMA 2020 should be addressed in the revision. And also do not forget to use the GRADE system to assess the quality of evidence.



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The authors have revised the manuscript according to my comments. I recommend
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