

## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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**Title:** Comment on "Outcomes of different minimally invasive surgical treatments for vertebral compression fractures: An observational study"

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Peer-review model: Single blind

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Academic degree: FACE, MD

Professional title: Doctor

Reviewer's Country/Territory: India

Author's Country/Territory: China

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Reviewer chosen by: AI Technique

Reviewer accepted review: 2021-12-23 19:56

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Review time: 1 Hour

| Scientific quality | [ ] Grade A: Excellent [ ] Grade B: Very good [ ] Grade C: Good<br>[ Y] Grade D: Fair [ ] Grade E: Do not publish                                 |
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| Language quality   | [ ] Grade A: Priority publishing [ ] Grade B: Minor language polishing [<br>Y] Grade C: A great deal of language polishing [ ] Grade D: Rejection |
| Conclusion         | <ul> <li>[ ] Accept (High priority) [ ] Accept (General priority)</li> <li>[ ] Minor revision [ ] Major revision [ Y] Rejection</li> </ul>        |
| Re-review          | [Y]Yes []No   |



| Peer-reviewer | Peer-Review: [Y] Anonymous [] Onymous |
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| statements    | Conflicts-of-Interest: [ ] Yes [Y] No |

## SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The authors have commented on "Outcomes of different minimally invasive surgical treatments for vertebral compression fractures: An observational study". In the original research article the authors have not suggested that the study is a randomized controlled trial. They have clearly mentioned that data was collected retrospectively and the patients were randomly divided into five categories for the purpose analysis. So the first comment should be removed. The language needs further refinement.



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This letter to the editor commented on an earlier published article & raised a couple of shortcomings of the publication, including a lack of randomization method & therapeutic details. The raised points are valid & warrant publication. Perhaps a response from the original authors on raised issues would benefit the readership.