

## Reviewer's report

**Title:** Smoking Status and Common Carotid Artery Intima-Medial Thickness among Middle-aged Men and Women based on Ultrasound Measurement: a Cohort Study

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**Reviewer:** Tatjana Rundek

### Reviewer's report:

General

The authors have answered all my points quite sufficiently.

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Major Compulsory Revisions (that the author must respond to before a decision on publication can be reached)

No further comments.

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Minor Essential Revisions (such as missing labels on figures, or the wrong use of a term, which the author can be trusted to correct)

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Discretionary Revisions (which the author can choose to ignore)

**What next?:** Accept without revision

**Level of interest:** An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable

**Statistical review:** No

**Declaration of competing interests:**

I declare that I have no competing interests.