Reviewer's report

**Title:** Injury in China: A systematic review of injury surveillance studies conducted in Chinese hospital emergency departments

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The abstract concludes that there is significant capacity and capability to conduct injury surveillance. However the paper suggests that this so-called capacity is extremely under-utilized. This paper would be more interesting if it drew attention to the implications of a minimum injury surveillance data set across China and asked some questions about why such a trauma registry does not yet exist.

The authors did a good job implementing the initial review comments; they just need to really think about the implications of their results (e.g. 13 surveillance efforts in a county of 6 billion people).

**Level of interest:** An article of importance in its field

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable

**Statistical review:** No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

**Declaration of competing interests:**

I declare that I have no competing interests