Reviewer’s report

Title: Striking variations in consultation rates with general practice reveal family influence

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Reviewer: Kevin Bennett

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The authors of this manuscript have adequately addressed this reviewer’s concerns and comments, and the result is a much improved submission. I appreciate their reorganization of the literature and methods section, as well as the improved conclusions. It is my opinion this is ready for publication, once minor editorial changes have been made.

What next?: Accept after minor essential revisions

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

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

Statistical review: No

Declaration of competing interests:

I have no competing interests