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Title: Pulmonary Melioidosis in Cambodia: a Prospective Study

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Major Compulsory Revisions (please see attached Comments)

Well designed prospective study should have protocol that stipulates at which day of illness patients have labs, CXR's, and other assessments. This was very clear for Blood and respiratory samples collection, but not so for radiology, or clinical assessments.

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: Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests.