Reviewer's report

Title: MRSA prevalence in European healthcare settings: a review

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This manuscript evaluates the methodology of MRSA prevalence study in acute and chronic care facilities in Europe. The authors assessed 31 publications using score of 7 criteria. They showed high heterogeneity in the methodology making comparison difficult. They underlined the need of prevalence study with good and standardized protocols. This is an excellent manuscript.

I have just one suggestion. The authors could clarify in Table 2 the scores obtained by the different articles, according to the criteria studied.

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