Reviewer's report

Title: Definition and characterization of localized meningitis epidemics in Burkina Faso: a longitudinal retrospective study

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Reviewer: Matthijs Brouwer

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The authors have adequately taken care of my concerns.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

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