Reviewer's report

Title: Public awareness of major infectious diseases in a rural population of China: a cross-section study

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HIV, TB, and HBV infections are major public health problems in China today. It is necessary to explore the awareness of these major problems.

There are some comments for your paper

Minor Essential Revisions:
1. There are too much describes in results part. Authors should describe major results or important figures.
2. Writing needs to be modified.

Major compulsory revisions:
1. The purpose of this paper is to describe knowledge awareness of three diseases. But some questions are not about knowledge, but behavior, such as “have you ever share toothbrushes with your family?” these questions will not posed well.

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, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests.