Reviewer’s report

Title: A model-based economic analysis of pre-pandemic vaccination cost-effectiveness

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Reviewer: Roberto Gasparini

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The article is well written and is very good.
However it is necessary to mention word influenza in the title the, for example, can be placed before the pre-pandemic word: ... of pre-pandemic influenza vaccination.
And it is advisable that the AA check carefully the concepts of mortality and case fatality rate and that they report the corresponding values in the appropriate manner.
I recommend that the AA read and if they want cite the following papers:


The paper No. 3 also shows that an adjuvanted pre-pandemic vaccine can be administered in a single dose.

Level of interest: An article of outstanding merit and interest 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