Reviewer's report

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The authors have provided good responses to all of my comments EXCEPT my first (and most important) question - how was the sample of 851 oncologists invited to complete the survey selected? The authors responded that, "The study population represents a subset of oncologists who are members of the Mexican Board of Oncology." However, this tell me very little. Was this a random sample? A sample of individuals who had opted-in to be included in surveys? A group of individuals of the same age? Without information on how whether the sample is generalizable of all Mexican oncologists, the results are essentially meaningless.

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