Reviewer's report

Title: Increasing uptake of colorectal cancer screening in Korea: a population-based study

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This is an interesting and well-written paper. In particular, it is very meaningful for carrying out the colorectal cancer (CRC) screening programme in other Asian Countries such as China, where the incidence and mortality of CRC is rapidly increasing and screening for CRC is urgently needed. However, there is one big disadvantage that the response rate in figure 1 is too low (44.3%), which will lead to a big bias when the results are applied to the whole population. This disadvantage should be indicated in the discussion part if no more action can be done. This is the Minor Essential Revision.

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.