Reviewer's report

Title: Community based needs assessment in an urban area; A participatory action research

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Reviewer: Barbara L Dancy

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1. The question is defined.
2. The methods are appropriate and well described.
3. The data analysis is clearly written.
4. The manuscript adheres to the reporting standards.
5. The “Discussion” section is improved.
6. The limitations are outlined. The last limitation identified by the authors should be deleted.
7. Yes, the authors acknowledge works upon which they are building.
8. Yes, the title and abstract are appropriate.
9. The writing is much improved. There are several one-sentence paragraphs that need to be corrected. One more careful editing should resolve any writing issues.

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