Reviewer's report

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Minor Essential Revisions
The response to comments 3 & 4 (under Major Compulsory Revisions sent previously) should be incorporated in manuscript.
Excluding a data subset does not eliminate bias, authors should mention their actions in manuscript and let readers decide if there was a bias and whether or not it could have affected results.
Please add a line or 2 on consent procedures as you explained in your response.

Discretionary Revisions
Comment 1. Line 43 and elsewhere, please remove '=' sign after OR. In addition double brackets can be avoided by using ',' in between OR and CI e.g. (OR 5.58, 95% CI 1.23-25.43).
Comment 2. All tables: Numbers are better understood if they are right aligned instead of left.
Comment 3. In table 3: Under monthly income, please also mention name of local currency.

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.

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I declare that I have no competing interests.