Reviewer’s report

**Title:** National and subnational hypertension prevalence estimates for the Republic of Ireland: better subnational data are needed to produce better subnational prevalence estimates

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**Reviewer:** Lana Augustincic Polec

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Minor Essential Revisions are needed in terms of labeling Figure 3 (please see the detailed response in the word document).

Discretionary revisions are needed in terms of sentence structure, use of tenses and alike.

**Level of interest:** An article of importance in its field

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable

**Statistical review:** Yes, and I have assessed the statistics in my report.

**Declaration of competing interests:**

As a peer reviewer, I have no conflict of interest in relation to the paper.