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Reviewer's report: I have read through the revised manuscript by Travasso et al. and found that the authors have considered and addressed all comments fairly. This time, the paper has been improved significantly in terms of clarity, readability and references. Only few comments are suggested below:

**Discretionary revisions**
- Remove the p value in the second line from the bottom of page 4 (Background)
- No non-paying partners should be replaced by “paying partner” in text and relevant tables since it take me few second to figure it out the meaning.

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

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable

**Declaration of competing interests:**

I declare that I have no competing interests