Reviewer’s report

Title: The use of economic evaluation in CAM: an introductory framework.

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Reviewer: Jean Spinks

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One discretionary revisions:

(i) Consider rewording the final two sentences as they are a bit "clunky" for example: "Whether examining the use of CAM either alone or as an integrated component of contemporary health care provision, further consideration of economic evaluation as a valuable research tool is required. We hope this paper provides at least an impetus for those interested to pursue such a worthy goal."

(ii) There appears to be a question mark where there should be a full stop on line 10 of the Summary section.

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.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests.