Reviewer’s report

**Title:** Use of alternative medicine for hypertension in Buikwe and Mukono districts of Uganda: A cross sectional study

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**Reviewer:** Kathryn Hall

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Minor Essential Revisions

a. Table headings or descriptions of how data in each table was derived would be helpful.

b. A Table 1 with descriptive data on the demographics of the population being studied is missing. It is unclear if Table 1 and Table 2 with the use of 95%CI are reporting results from a model or descriptive statistics.

c. In Table 3 use the reference for gender and place of residence should be indicated with a 1 as with the other covariates in the table.


e. It is not clear what the subject or researcher’s understanding of “self-treatment” is.

**Level of interest:** An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable

**Statistical review:** No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

**Declaration of competing interests:**

I have no competing interests