Reviewer's report

Title: Family Physician Practice Visits Arising from the Alberta Physician Achievement Review

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The article addresses and original question which adds to the growing body of knowledge on multi-source feedback.

It would be helpful to the reader to have a bit more description on the target population. On page 4 the authors write: “Two to four percent of all physicians are referred to the Assessment Sub-Committee (ASC) and they are contacted by the Director of Practice Improvement (DPI) for further discussion...” How or on what basis are the 2-4% identified?

The methods are appropriate and well described. Data is adequately reported and appears sound.

There is a good discussion and conclusions seem adequately supported by the data. The article adequately references the literature on multisource feedback.

The title and abstract are clear and accurate.

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