Reviewer's report

Title: Student centered curricular elements are associated with a healthier educational environment and lower depressive symptoms in medical students.

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Reviewer: Thomas Schwenk

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This is a markedly-revised manuscript of a study of learning environment and depressive symptoms in Saudi medical students. The authors have responded to all suggestions and concerns, in some cases admirably so, with the resultant manuscript almost unrecognizable compared to the first version. The manuscript still requires substantial copy editing to be suitable for possible publication.

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

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

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.