Reviewer’s report

Title: Experiences with community engagement and informed consent in a genetic cohort study of severe childhood diseases in Kenya

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Reviewer: Nhlanhla Mkhize

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My first report found the article to be publishable, subject to minor corrections of an editorial nature being addressed. I have gone over the report again and these corrections have been effected to my satisfaction.

Level of interest: An article of outstanding merit and interest 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