Reviewer's report

Title: Lessons Learned from Implementation of Computerized Provider Order Entry in 5 Community Hospitals: A Mixed-Methods Study

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Discretionary Revisions:

The lessons learned from the implementation of CPOE in community hospitals described in this article would be helpful to other community hospitals that consider adoption of CPOE system in near future. The methodology is also well designed.

One suggestion for improvement is to clarity and highlight the new findings of this study compared with what was already known in this field. The studies on barriers to the adoption of COPE or EMR system have been widely investigated and reported. Therefore, if the authors highlight new lessons learned from the community hospitals, it will be valuable to other settings.

In addition, the general statistics of 24 interviewees and 5 settings participated in this study need to be added and summarized in a table. The period of interview and site visits also needs to be mentioned in the manuscript.

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

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I declare that I have no competing interests.