Reviewer's report

Title: Assessing Stakeholder Positions In The Implementation Process Of It-Innovations In Hospital Care Using Analytic Hierarchy Process

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This is an interesting article that presents a novel approach to understanding the reason why health IT adoption can be slow. The article needs to be edited by a native English speaker as the grammar makes it hard to read at times. Further, the methodology used needs to be much more detailed. Expert interviews are mentioned in passing; Table 2 seems to be missing; Including the descriptions provided for each innovation assessed would be helpful; more detail on how participants were recruited would be useful and how the 62 represented each category; what was the qualitative analysis that MH did?..... Box-plots are not labelled fully. Without further data being provided it is difficult to properly assess the statistics used.

In summary, this is an interesting paper that could make a contribution to the field. However, it needs to be edited well and much more detail included regarding the methods used in order to support the conclusions drawn.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

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

Statistical review: Yes, and I have assessed the statistics in my report.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests.