Reviewer's report

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**Reviewer:** Abu Zafar Ullah

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The title and the contents are mismatched, for example, the title said "Engaging NGOs for health system strengthening: A qualitative study presenting viewpoints of government, NGOs and donors in Pakistan". But the content of the article is all about PPP, which has not been reflected in the title. Although there are some interesting quotes from the respondents but the results lack critical analysis. The discussions are insufficient and conclusions are too weak.

**Level of interest:** An article of importance in its field

**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. Thank you.