Reviewer's report

Title: Physicians' propensity to collaborate and their attitude towards EBM: A cross-sectional study

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1. The authors have addressed the questions raised in the original review, leaving one that I feel was not sufficiently addressed.

Discretionary Revisions

In the first paragraph of page 10, the authors have modified the manuscript to reflect the age and limited relevance of the two papers referenced in the original manuscript. Perhaps my comments were slightly ambiguous but my suggestion was to extend the referencing to include more relevant and recent articles. To that end, I have compiled a list of them as below and leave it to the authors as to which of them, and where in the manuscript, they might choose to add them.


E. West, D.N. Barron, J. Dowsett and J.N. Newton, Hierarchies and cliques in the social networks of healthcare professionals: implications for the design of dissemination strategies, Social Science & Medicine 48 (1999), pp. 633–646


**Level of interest:** An article of importance 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