Reviewer's report

Title: An economic evaluation of adaptive e-learning devices to promote weight loss via dietary change for people with obesity

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I do not agree with a number of decisions the authors have made and the methods they have used in determining the effect of e-LDs on BMI (meta-analysis) and in their costing of the intervention and comparison group. The authors have not made any changes to their primary methods or results based on these previous comments.

Despite this, the authors report on a number of sensitivity analyses and while this has a considerable impact on the ICER, as they point out in their response, the decision as to whether e-LDs are cost-effective or not remains unchanged.

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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