Reviewer's report

Title: Unit based perinatal mortality audit in all 15 perinatal co-operation units in the northern region of the Netherlands.

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Reviewer: Sunil Raja Raja Manandhar

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As a reviewer, I would like to suggest followings:
1. As mentioned in results, out of 112 perinatal deaths, only 111 cases were analysed. Fate of 1 case is not known.
2. It would be nice to see the causes of perinatal deaths according to wiggleworths classifications (Perinatal deaths I category). So, we may be able to know whether these deaths are avoidable or not during perinatal death audit analysis and what could be done to reduce these perinatal deaths.
3. Please rewrite the reference no. 23 in Vancouver reference style.

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.