Reviewer's report

**Title:** An evaluation of the discriminant and predictive validity of relative social disadvantage as screening criteria for priority access to public general dental care, in Australia.

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**Reviewer:** Mike V Morgan

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No essential revisions. The paper reads very well and is of significance. The methods are appropriate as is the analysis. The authors are to be congratulated on the clarity of the paper. There could be some indication as to how the 6 CHCs were chosen across NSW.

**Level of interest:** An article of outstanding merit and interest in its field

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable

**Statistical review:** No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.