Reviewer’s report

Title: Perceived challenges and opportunities arising from integration of mental health into primary care: a cross-sectional survey of primary health care workers in south-west Ethiopia

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Reviewer: Graham Meadows

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Major Compulsory Revisions
None.

- Minor Essential Revisions
1. It needs to be clarified whether the data from the heads of health facilities qualitative study features here - it is not clear whether the quotes in boxes for instance are from the semistructured interviews with PHC workers or the heads. If from the heads then something on the mode of analysis and how the findings were selected would be helpful, if from the PHC workers then the description of the interviews with the Heads could be dropped from the paper as to this reader it isn't clear in that case that any of the data from these interviews is being reported.
2. There isn’t actually a clear statement of Aims. Much of it is in the final sentence of the introduction but it could do with more clearly being identified as a statement of aims.

- Discretionary Revisions
Is it the Jimma zone, or Jimma zone?

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.