Reviewer's report

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Minor Essential Revisions
Overall, I think the authors were responsive to my suggestions.
I think it would be useful if the authors included one or two paragraphs directly discussing the high mortality rate.
The sentence describing the use of "Coercive measures" should be further explained.
The article needs further line editing (e.g, data are plural).

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

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.