Reviewer's report

Title: Consuming Iodine Enriched Eggs to Solve the Iodine Deficiency Endemic for Remote Areas in Thailand

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The paper is based on a highly innovative, novel and creative approach to solving a public health need, iodine deficiency in highly endemic areas within a country. The approach is a very practical but is an innovative concept that allows solution to the problem through a natural feeding process of foods normally consumed in the population’s daily diet. The scientific content and experimental design are valid, well-done and all confirmatory data are presented in a manner clearly confirming that the approach is effective and not cost prohibitive to apply to a population. The methods are well-described and sufficient for the publication.

Major Compulsory Revision: The paper is very worthy of publication; however, English is apparently not the first language of the authors and the paper needs extensive editing/rewriting by a person whose first language is English. The language corrections were too numerous to outline for the authors. I recommend publication after the language problems are corrected in the manuscript.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Not suitable for publication unless extensively edited

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.