Reviewer's report

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It is clear that this article doesn´t follow the usual type of articles published by HRH. It follows a sequence used mostly in educational journals. However, the way the authors build a discussion over health professions education in rich and poor countries is a robust contribution.

I am sure that many readers will find in this article inspirational in order to improve health professions education.

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'