**Reviewer’s report**

**Title:** The Improving Care in Chronic Obstructive Lung disease study: CAROL
Improving processes of care and quality of life of COPD patients in primary care:
A cluster randomized trial

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**Reviewer:** Laurent P Nicod

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This is a study based on up-to-date criteria for good practice.
The aims are to see how implementations of good practices influence quality of
life and physical health of COPD.
The challenge will be the good collaboration between general practitioners and
pulmonary physicians. The control groups might be better in their outcome by
contamination of good practice from the active groups.

**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:**

My service receive travelling grants for education from major companies
working in the field.
I have no competing interests