Reviewer’s report

Title: Management of Acute Coronary Syndromes in a developing country; time for paradigm shift? An observational study

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Very interesting paper

Some issues

1) of the patients admitted with chest pain, how many ACS were?

2) please follow the strobe statement:
   
   a) who abstracted the clinical variables?
   
   b) who adjudicated events?
   
   c) who performed analysis?

3) despite evidence, really few patients performed coro and/or PCI. This should be better discussed (quote and comment on Int J Cardiol. 2015 Jan 20;179:552-7. doi: 10.1016/j.ijcard.2014.10.035. Epub 2014 Oct 22. Management of multivessel coronary disease in STEMI patients: a systematic review and meta-analysis. Moretti C1, D'Ascenzo F2, Quadri G1, Omedè P1, Montefusco A1, Taha S1, Cerrato E1, Colaci C1, Chen SL3, Biondi-Zoccai G4, Gaita F1.)

4) do the authors think that these data may be helpful for improvement of acs management? this should be better discussed

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