Reviewer’s report

Title: Safety in Primary Care (SAP-C): A randomised, controlled feasibility study in two different healthcare systems

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Reviewer: JAMES AMISI

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This is a good pilot study that will go along way in improving ways in which we can improve patient safety in primary care settings. The study is well done, the methodology well explained. However I have only two comments for clarification.

1. In the abstract: Methodology section, the opening statement is "A randomised controlled feasibility study was therefore conducted, with general practices in the Republic of Ireland......." I am not sure you need to include the word "therefore". Any specific reason why this word should be included?

2. In the conclusion section, you have used the phrase "our data suggest that.........". My understanding of the word "data" means unrefined/raw figures. My suggestion would be to probably use the phrase "Our results show that or Our findings show that....."

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