Reviewer’s report

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Reviewer: Cesare Hassan

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The AU assessed the rate of inappropriate colonoscopy, also linking such estimate with the previous diagnosis to HP. The main criticism is that we are not aware whether the US GLs that the AU used as gold-standard had actually been disseminated among PCP and endoscopists. Can the AU provide further info on this aspect? If such GLs were not distributed at the time of prescription, the study remains interesting, but it represents what can be gained by the implementation of such GLs.

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