Reviewer's report

Title: Association of household food insecurity and mental distress among pregnant women attending antenatal care in Jimma Zone, Southwest Ethiopia

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Reviewer: Craig Hadley

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I have not major comments.

Minor:

The figures are currently unacceptable. They have multiple titles, are not consistently formatted, and figure 1 is not easily interpretable bc the axes are not labeled.

Please check the tense in the results. In at least one place it switches from past to present.

The authors might want to be more explicit about the links between depression and birth outcomes and subsequent development of infants. There are citations to this work but that might make the work more relevant.

The title could be cropped to exclude Jimma Zone SW Ethiopia.

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

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 not competing interests.