Reviewer’s report

Title: Prevalence and care seeking for chronic diseases among Syrian refugees in Jordan

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- Major Compulsory Revisions

Methods section: Socio-economic status is mentioned in the discussion section and in table 2 but not in methods and results. Please describe how socio-economic status was obtained in the methods sections and describe the findings in the results section

Results section: you describe how many need care - how do you define whether or not care is needed. Please describe this in the methods section

- Minor Essential Revisions

I still think the paper would benefit from a flow chart of the participants to give an overview, starting with number of households selected for interview, how many of these actually gave an interview (what were the reasons for not giving an interview), and out of these, how many households reported NCDs.

In the discussion you state that an explanation for the lower degree of health care seeking among households with higher education could be due to lower burden of NCD. I think you should explore whether this is the case as you have the data available instead of speculating.

- Discretionary Revisions

There are a number of spelling mishaps. Please review the manuscript thoroughly for spelling errors.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests