Reviewer’s report

Title: Incidence of distal radius fracture surgery in Finns aged 50 years or more between 1998 and 2016 - too many patients are yet operated on?

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Reviewer: Charles Court-Brown

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A very interesting paper and of considerable importance. It should be published. My only suggestion would be that the authors might consider why this has happened. Outside Finland it might be caused by private practice. It might also be caused by very efficient advertising or possibly surgeons are not as clever as they think they are! I assume that the authors have considered why the change in practice has occurred.

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