Reviewer’s report

Title: Participatory Learning and Action to address type 2 diabetes in rural Bangladesh: a qualitative process evaluation

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The trial is interesting and leads to useful results that can be used to combat type 2 diabetes in the future.

Finding approaches with a good efficiency / cost ratio is indeed necessary to overcome this epidemiological crisis.

However it could be useful to insert additions.

The "method" can be deepened in its dynamics. It is necessary to indicate more precisely the content of the meetings. (For example, precise duration and organization of the topics).

It may also be useful to update the "discussion" with a numerical view of the different groups. This can help to support the thesis.

Finally, I suggest adding at least one chart or table that makes the content of the discussion and the results more immediate.

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