Reviewer’s report

Title: Need for ensuring cultural competence in medical programmes of European universities

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Reviewer: Dario Cecilio-Fernandes

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While it is encouraging that the authors have addressed a number of issues raised by myself and the other reviewer, some points need further clarification. Overall the manuscript has improved very much, especially in the flow and structure.

Although the authors explained that their qualitative analyses was based on well defined themes, the authors should explain that this type of analysis is consisted with framework analysis or thematic analysis. This should be very clear and I recommend the authors to write how others have described this kind of analysis.

Furthermore, the authors should stated that their survey was no previous validated and that cannot be validated in this study because of the small sample size. This, should be added to the Limitations section as well.

I hope the authors find those comments useful.

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