Reviewer’s report

Title: Disciplinary boundaries and integrating care: using Q-methodology to understand trainee views on being a good doctor

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Reviewer: Halah Ibrahim

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Thank you for the opportunity to review the revised manuscript. The authors have responded to all my previous recommendations and I feel that the resubmission is greatly improved. I appreciate the additional explanation regarding the BBT program and the Q methodology.

I have a few comments below:

- The introduction is lengthy and the purpose of the study is not clear to the reader until later in the manuscript. A purpose statement would be helpful.

- The methods section is long and rather confusing for those unfamiliar with Q methodology. The authors should try to explain the design in a more succinct and less detailed way.

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