Reviewer’s report

Title: How do professional capital and team heterogeneity affect the demands of team-based service?

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This study uses data from the Chinese online health communities to examine the effects of professional capital and team heterogeneity on the demand of team-based service (TSD), which is quantified by the increment of patients who have purchased the team-based service. While the data and method are sound, the article requires further improvement before my recommendation of publication:

1. The language of the paper need to be improved substantially. There are lots of incorrect expressions and incomplete sentences. e.g.: "the key stakeholders MTs"; "which takes a long to wait the designated doctor to reply and exist bias based on only one doctor."; "doctor. It is lack of channels"; "in the period of half one month"

2. The references should come from reliable source, for example, the footnote citations 1 and 2 are not official numbers;

3. The authors should provide more details on the raw data crawled from the website;

4. Generalization of the statistical analysis might be largely affected by the distribution of the dependent variable TSD. The authors did not report the range and heterogeneity of this variable.

5. What is the correlation between the size of the team and the performance?

6. In table 2 some variables are missing.

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