Reviewer’s report

Title: Case Identification of Mental Health and Related Problems in Children and Young People using the New Zealand Integrated Data Infrastructure

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The authors have attempt to response the review comments and revise the manuscript according to these comment. Unfortunately, the authors cannot address my concerns.

1. Though the IDI is already linked together, the authors still have to provide the data schema to readers.

2. I expect that the method should be a flow diagram or information algorithm with equations. But the method provided in the revised manuscript is just a coding table in Appendix. I cannot find the novelty in method for case identification.

3. This study still lack validation procedure in this revised version, thus the reader could not evaluate the accuracy of the proposed method.

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