Reviewer’s report

Title: Awareness, Experiences and Perceptions of Telehealth in a Rural Queensland Community

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Reviewer: Maria Francesca Romano

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Major Compulsory Revisions:
no comments

Minor Essential Revisions:
1) First paragraph in "Materials and Methods" section: I suggest to avoid the description of Authors’ competencies and skills, it sounds pleonastic and not required at all. I suggest to leave only the first phrase and the last three (from "no researchers had relationships...").

2) Since that the respondents are patients (or potential patients), I would not have included in the convenience sample the three respondents who were health care providers, but this choice seems to not affect principal results.

Discretionary Revisions:
3) Starting from the correct qualitative analysis presented, it is possible to transform the semi-structured interviews in closed answers to the same questions and then use multidimensional analysis (like Multiple Correspondence Analysis to plot together coded responses and respondents characteristics. But, I agree that this could be done in a successive step.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, and I have assessed the statistics in my report.

Declaration of competing interests:
I declare that I have no competing interests.