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Transitions and transitional care is increasingly important. So this manuscript is timely. The review process is well described. The paper is, for the most part, clearly written. Some of the background is a bit awkward and could benefit from additional editing. The background section seems to wander a bit, could be more focused. Also, there were several references to person centered care in the background section. This is not carried through the rest of the paper, in either the search or the results. Authors should decide whether this is part of the review and include more deliberately if it is. If not, this should be removed from the background.

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