Reviewer’s report

Title: Sex work stigma and non-disclosure to health care providers: data from a large RDS study among FSW in Brazil1

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The manuscript is improved. The file I have attached notes some copy-editing-type comments and a few substantive points. I think the authors still need a clearer explanation or at least speculation on the matter of the relationship between non-disclosure of SW status with and poor uptake of services. There is a logical inconsistency: If people are not disclosing their status, how are they experiencing discrimination? If this is anticipated stigma or if there is an association because of past discrimination, that needs to be better explained. (See comment boxes in uploaded file.)

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