Reviewer’s report

Title: Time motion study using mixed methods to assess service delivery by Frontline health workers from South-India: Methods

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Reviewer: Jorge Monteiro

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1. In the Abstract it´s necessary to describe the abbreviations "FGD and FLHW" inserted in the results.

2. In the results I didn´t observe the answer regarding the second objective which refers to "functioning of ASHAs"

3. About figures: the description of the first figure in the page 8, line 12, is suitable and can be inserted into the text to complement the topic. When I look at the figure, the frames that describe the "Total planned sample size" and "the total sample included from three districts" makes a confusion and does not reflect clarity when related to figure. I suggest keeping only the figure that stratify the district.

About the second figure, I suggest build in flowchart form, making the connection between the text boxes with arrows, favoring to the reader the understanding of the structure of the work accomplished.

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