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Title: Experiences of Foreign Medical Graduates (FMGs), International Medical Graduates (IMG) and Overseas Trained Graduates (OTG) on entering developing or middle income countries like South Africa: A Scoping Review

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Reviewer 1 HRHE-D-18-00074R1

Action

Reviewer 1

This is a much stronger manuscript.

Thank you for this feedback and assistance to improve the manuscript.

The abstract is still repetitive and the results section vague.

This has been revised.

Editorial/Grammar

1. Line 71 World Bank should be capitalised

2. Line 74 the word 'shortage' is better replaced with 'ratio'

3. Line 93. I think the word 'regulated' is a bit too strong for a voluntary code; suggest rewording (informed) 91

4. Line 196. The data 'were' (it is plural) —

5. A subheading 'Findings' or 'Results' would be appropriate between Line 207 and 208 (inserted)

6. Line 265 delete the space before the ,
7. Line 332 cultural competence might be a more appropriate heading
8. Line 386 orphan
9. Line 445 the word should be 'workforce' not 'works force'

1. World Bank - capitalised L70
2. 'shortage' is replaced with 'ratio' L73
3. Line 93. 'regulated' changed to informed L91
4. The data 'were' (it is plural)—L192
5. Results inserted- L204-
6. Line 265 deleted the space -L 262
7. Line 332 cultural competence- L329
8. Line 386 orphan - (not found)
9. Line 445 the word should be 'workforce' not 'works force' L441

Reviewer 2

10. Line 83: delete the full stop in the middle of the sentence
11. Line 87: delete the full stop after "Australia"
12. Lines 147 to 195: delete the semi-colon after the sub-titles
13. Line 216: replace "experiences" with "experience"
14. Line 238: replace "Language" with "language"
15. Line 265: adjust placement of the last comma in the sentence
16. Line 329: replace "works load" with "work load"
17. Line 339: add "in" after "difficulties"
18. Line 361: replace "studies" with "study"
19. Line 363: delete ")"
20. Line 388: replace "was" with "were"
21. Line 415: delete "an"
22. Line 425: delete comma after "their"
23. Line 432: delete "in"
24. Line 445: replace "works force" with "workforce"
25. Line 463: replace "make" with "making"
26. Line 533: replace "FMS" with "FMGs"

10. Done L82

11. L86

12. Removed

13. L213

14. L235

15. Done

16. L326

17. L336

18. L358

19. L360

20. L384

21. L411

22. L421

23. L428