Reviewer’s report

Title: The relationship between gender, parenthood and practice intentions among Family Medicine residents: Cross-sectional analysis of national Canadian survey data

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Reviewer’s report:

Thanks for the opportunity to review the paper.

It is interesting work with potential policy implications. The question is pertinent, and the study is conducted well. I have a few minor comments.

Page 6: Line 130 to 136. Please expand this paragraph to provide more insight on the intersection of gender and parenthood. Besides financial, what other stressors impact parents? Which parent is impacted more? What are those limited benefits that are offered, and who are they offered to? The knowledge gap is in fact in this intersection.

Page 14. Line 308. The second paragraph of the discussion can be about 'what is the contribution of this study to the knowledge.' Or 'How do the results address the knowledge gap?'

There are some minor grammatical and syntax errors. i.e. Line 101-102. Check verbs. Line 109 'since 2002 has ranged from ...' is hanging without subject. Line 113: Physician's gender. Line 309 'may be needED to. Please do a thorough revision for grammatical and syntax errors.

Regards,

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