Reviewer’s report

Title: Identifying potential indicators to measure the outcome of translational cancer research: a mixed method approach

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I would like to congratulate the authors on this research paper. This is a very interesting research paper and seems that the authors have put a lot of effort to produce such a paper.

I have only few minor points just need to be clarified for the sake of international readers in order to comprehend the selection criteria:

1. I couldn't understand how those participated in this study were selected. Were the professionals involved in translational research selected based on their qualification and their domain of work as stated or they were randomly selected.

2. How researchers knew about getting involved in this study?

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4. Was the questions close-ended questions or open questions

5. EurocanPlatform network: define it and who is included in this network (not all readers are from Europe to know what is Eurocan)

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