Reviewer's report

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Reviewer: Nigel Unwin

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I think that the authors have done a very good job in responding the reviewers’ comments. From my perspective, the article is good to go.

The only minor addition the authors might wish to make as part of their conclusion in the discussion is that the conceptual framework, and approach to evaluating it, that they have presented here could be equally well applied to other major health policy areas e.g. maternal and child, non-communicable diseases etc.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare no competing interests.