Reviewer’s report

Title: THE USE OF LATIN TERMINOLOGY IN MEDICAL CASE REPORTS: QUANTITATIVE, STRUCTURAL AND THEMATIC ANALYSIS

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The idea of studying Latin terminology is very elegant but the following points need to be addressed and answered:

1) Adding part of the study to order countries from which came the most common use of Latin terms is very crucial as this will subsequently determine the next steps as which medical students in more need to know about Latin terms or less which is paramount objective of this study (specially the use of Lexial units)

2) A clear plan based on the results of this study to be implemented to solve the current problem is lacking

3) What is suggested for medical students is to add module within curriculum regarding medical terminology including Latin (this will be affected by the language used in medical education in specific countries) or as extra curricular part?

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