**Reviewer’s report**

**Title:** A Mixed Methods Study to Adapt and Implement Integrated Mental Healthcare for Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder

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**Reviewer:** Nancy E. Mayo

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This is an exceptional article that addresses a very important topic but also could serve as a model to develop and implement other programs. I have only a few minor points.

I was confused when reading the background about the reference to a medical home. What is this? Why would a medical home be something applied to children and youths with autism who may otherwise have good health status.

Some minor editing comments:

Another key component of integrated care for children with ASD would be an integrated electronic health record that facilitated to facilitate the coordination of the many services and health care providers necessary for effective treatment.

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