

## Reviewer's report

**Title:** The Importance of Human Resources Management in Health Care: A Global Context

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**Reviewer:** Rick Burjaw

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#### General

The question raised is both new and very well defined as the paper explains, and points out, the very important role Human Resources play in Health around the World. The methods used by the team, both published data and secondary analysis of public documentation, were appropriate as they provide adequate details of these in their submission. They have followed all relevant standards in their paper.

I feel the conclusions drawn are consistent with the data observed, and is a logical, valid examination supported by their observations.

I would support the acceptance of the manuscript without revision. The authors have covered one of the most critical areas in Health Care facing the World, that of the important role Human resources play in itâ€™s success.

I found the paper informative, accurate, and worth further investigation and development.

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Major Compulsory Revisions (that the author must respond to before a decision on publication can be reached)

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Minor Essential Revisions (such as missing labels on figures, or the wrong use of a term, which the author can be trusted to correct)

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Discretionary Revisions (which the author can choose to ignore)

**What next?:** Accept without revision

**Level of interest:** An article of importance in its field

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable

**Statistical review:** No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.