

Reviewer's report

Title: Benzodiazepine Prescribing Behaviour and Attitudes: A Survey among General Practitioners Practicing in Northern Thailand

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General

Most questions have been answered appropriately.

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

With respect to case 3 the changes the authors have made only partially are in accordance with my remarks: they should also give information about the periode during which benzodiazepines are coprescribed (or, in case they did not assess this, mention that they did not take the duration of coprescription into accoount). Benzodiazepines should not be coprescribed with antidepressants for longer than 4 - 6 weeks.

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

Discretionary Revisions (which the author can choose to ignore)

What next?: Unable to decide on acceptance or rejection until the authors have responded to the major compulsory revisions

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests.