

PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Good paper; simple; well documented. Just a few things from this reviewer. All p-values should be limited to 3 decimal points. This shows up in the Results section and Table 1. Why is race a variable in demographics? In this day of physician biases, it probably is inappropriate. The study is not about that. When it comes out to be no different as it does - why include it in the table?

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The Work seems to be a thorough study in the context and identified the financial risk in the different conditions. The metrics provide clear justification to the context.