Reviewer Report

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Reviewer Comments to Author:

Thank you very much for adding greater detail and clarity to your manuscript. I feel that your edits and additions have helped me to understand and value Open Humans. A few small wording challenges for your consideration:

1) P3C2P2. Under Results...Second sentence could be improved. Try this "Platform members import data about themselves from various sources into their Open Humans account. They can then explore their aggregated data and share it with citizen scientists and academic researchers."

2) P4C2P2. Is that on a project by project basis or global across all projects the member has joined?3) P9C1P2. The sentence "While Article 20 does not..." needs to be cleaned up.

4) P9C1P4. participant-led or -lead?

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