

Review of: "Mental health in fishing communities: An overview of current knowledge and information gaps for fisheries"

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I find it an interesting study, which provides valuable information to understand health from a multidimensional approach, and its relevance in the development of global public policies with focus on development and equitable human well-being. It is a well-written article in general and the stated objectives are achieved. However, I was able to see a weak rationale for the need to increase studies on mental health in fisheries, especially in areas that experienced a decline, making it clearer why it would be important to increase studies in this area currently. The following questions can serve these purposes: how is fishing as an economic activity projected in the world food market? How much has the fishing industry increased worldwide? Are the resources obtained in the fishing industry invested in the well-being of fishermen?