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Reviewer A

In this paper, the authors summarized the experience of controlling the Omicron BA.5 infection at early stage of the outbreak in Macao SAR, China in 2022. The topic is interesting and the paper is well written. I suggest accepting the paper after minor revision.

My only comment is that it would be better to add the results of Rt into Figure S1.

Reply: Thank you for your advice. We have added the results of Rt.

Changes in the text: The red line in Figure S1.

Reviewer B

I agree with your opinion that implementing intervention measures at the early stage of an epidemic is very important. If policies or measures for epidemic prevention and control at that time can be provided, it will provide more specific reference and learning for other cities and countries.

Reply: Thank you for your advice. We have added policies or measures for epidemic prevention and control to provide more specific references and learning for other cities and countries.

Changes in the text: Supplementary Table S1.