

Review of: "Burden and Predictors of Diabetic Nephropathy in an Adult With Diabetes Mellitus Patients on Follow up at Ambo University Referral Hospital Central Ethiopia"

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The article is well-written with significant objectives. I have a few comments as below:

1. I suggest finding more recent references regarding the total population number for the West Shewa Zone (page 4).
2. To include the SPSS version that was used. Section: data entry, processing, and statistical analysis (Page 5).
3. I suggest checking the statistical analysis methods that have been used.
4. Result data for Table 1, please present as mean \pm SD or as mean (pages 6-7).
5. Please standardize the writing format. For example, diabetic nephropathy has been addressed as DN and sometimes as diabetic nephropathy.
6. On page 9, under Independent Predictors of DN, please list down the factors that have been adjusted. Paragraph 2, "after adjusting for other factors....."
7. In the discussion, not so much the burden of DN among adults with diabetes was discussed. Since the burden of DN is one of the objectives of this study, I suggest adding more information on the burden in the results and discussion.
8. Good luck with your article.