

Review of: "Knowledge among Health care workers (HCWs) regarding biomedical waste management (BMW) during COVID-19 Pandemic"

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Abstract

- You should mention the abbreviation SKIMS.

Introduction

- You should define the definition of biomedical waste management.
- Furthermore which 'specific' waste did you studied?
- Regarding your the CoVID-19 pandemic – you should specify the area/country you studied.
- More scientific references are needed to define the need for effective management of biomedical waste. You only mentioned 3 publications.

Objective

- You should more specify the exact objective f.e. which country, which institute, period,...
- Methodology.
- The study duration is limited – only one month.
- Which semi-structured questionnaire was used to conduct the cross sectional survey.
- Regarding the interpretation of the 'Knowledge Score' – did you use statistics

Discussion

- You can also describe the effect of gender and age among the doctors, nursing staff, technicians, sanitary workers.
- Regarding table 4 – what is the definition of post graduate vs graduate.
- Regarding table 5 – could you explain the data 'Gender' 0-10 vs 10-20 vs > 20: years?
- You should explain more in detail the study of Rawat et al., 2016.
- How do you conclude that there was a little difference among 'male' and 'female' doctors?
- You conclude the possitive attitude of doctors and nurses compared to paramedics and sanitary staff on which data?
- You mention paramedics – that are health care workers with which speciality?

Summary

- Which randomly selected areas were studied?
- You should describe more in detail the findings of this study in the summary f.e. effect of gender, experience among health care workers.