

Peer Review

Review of: "Self-Rated Periodontal Health and Its Association With Pre-Eclampsia Among Pregnant Patients in Lagos State"

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The following suggestions can help in refining the research, enhancing its impact, and contributing to improved maternal and infant health outcomes.

-Identify and account for more potential confounding factors that may influence both periodontal health and pre-eclampsia, such as socioeconomic status, lifestyle factors, and access to dental care.

-Without a control group of pregnant women without pre-eclampsia, it is challenging to determine if the observed associations are specific to pre-eclampsia or present in a broader context. Introduce a control group of pregnant women without pre-eclampsia to better contrast the effects of periodontal health and to strengthen the causal inferences drawn from the study.

-Explore the implications of the study's findings for healthcare policy and practice, particularly in integrating dental care within maternal health services.

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