

Review of: "Assessing Sex Education Awareness Among Higher Secondary School Students in India"

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Interesting topic and results.

However there are some of the many concerns.

1. The introduction is minimal. The current state of the topic, through a review of literature on the topic is missing and the rationale for the study is not touched upon adequately.
2. the title of the study is confusing- is the study on the assessment of the awareness of sex education given or is it about the overall sex related knowledge the students have? If the former, then there was no adequate coverage of the class when it was started, the modules covered, the method of teaching, and effectiveness; if the latter, then a lot more needs to be looked into.
3. In the method part, the sampling method stated is not elaborated. if stratified what were the basis of stratification (a table with its data is missing)? The sampling frame used for this probabilistic method of sampling is missing.
4. The tool used seems to be constructed by the researcher, so its reliability validity could be in question. Some of the questions lack clarity.
5. the overall analysis of the data is quite basic descriptive statistics and further analysis based on age, gender location etc are missing.