

# Review of: "COVID-19: Health risk factors among students' population in Albania"

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The study does not carry a strong rationale. Mental health related problems and disturbances in the routine life of students due to COVID are already evident. Students, as sample, need further clarification by focusing on the role of education; otherwise, sample could be considered simply as adolescents or younger adults. The rationale to select university students only is also not provided. A separate section on participants is needed. Tables 1 to 6 can be compiled into one table about the participants' demographic information. Frequencies, percentage, cross-tabulation, all are not such rigorous procedures that could establish something solid. Authors should have at least used t-test for group comparisons and correlation for relationships. Authors should also tell the readers how the findings of this study could be generalized to the international student population.