

Review of: "[Commentary] Decentralization — “The Fundamental Challenge in the Pakistan Is the Decentralization of Health Care”"

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The topic is indeed of significant importance. Several good points are found in the commentary. For example, the argument, “In Pakistan, the decentralization of the health system has particularly affected the three areas of workforce planning, data availability, planning responsibility, and implementation of planning decisions,” is acknowledged as a contribution to the existing body of literature on the subject. For more clarity, it is suggested to add “positively” or “negatively” with “particularly affected. The commentary has a narrow conception of the decentralization of health care in Pakistan. There may be political reasons for the decentralization of health care in Pakistan. It is suggested to discuss this aspect, too, as it will add value to the commentary.