

# Review of: "Randomized Experimental Test of a Reduced-Exposure Message for an E-cigarette: Comprehension and Related Misperceptions"

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Thanks for the given opportunity to review this interesting paper. In general, the manuscript is interesting and well-written with public health applicability. There are some modifications that the authors should make before the publication.

1. Although several studies have shown the superiority of e-smoking over conventional smoking, emerging evidence has demonstrated the deleterious effects of e-smoking. For example, recently, it has been revealed that e-smoking can alter the expression of genes implicate in prostate cancer [The impact of conventional smoking versus electronic cigarette on the expression of VEGF, PEMPA1, and PTEN in rat prostate. *Prostate International*. 2023;11(2):76-82]. Please cite the mentioned article and other-related articles.
2. In my opinion, it is better to remove Table 1 and write the details included in the Table1.
3. In the statical part, please describe logistic models in detail. Transfer the descriptions of models in the result part to the statical part.
4. Please add a paragraph in the discussion and explain the importance of paper's findings and health implications.