

Review of: "Correlation Between HbA1c and Body Mass Index Among Patients with High Lipid Profile Attending Johns Hopkins Aramco Healthcare Hospital in Saudi Arabia"

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The authors have picked up an important research area, as the prevalence of non-communicable diseases is one of the major concerns of morbidity and mortality globally.

Moreover, I have some suggestions.

In the methods section, the design is a "retrospective, cross-sectional, hospital-based study." Since this is a record review, it cannot be a cross-sectional study....I suggest the design be "a retrospective hospital-based study." Moreover, in the results section, the authors should have to go back and check the way the texts and the tables are arranged.

Cognizant, text-table, text-table, etc., are usually recommended so as to maintain the coherence of the paper.

Consistency should also be maintained in writing the correlation coefficient "r" and its corresponding P-values in the text.

Furthermore, the first paragraph of the results section starts referring to Table 2. Therefore, the authors are advised to follow the sequence of the tables, which should start at 1 and continue until Table 4.

I finally suggest that the paper can be published after these minor modifications are made.