

Review of: "[Research Note] Dengue – Therapeutic Efforts in Mexico"

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Authors have mentioned a few of the potential drugs that could be repurposed for treating dengue. However, there is no proper rationale; for instance, authors have mentioned the potential role of metformin, a known antidiabetic drug, for treating dengue. This requires a few more literature supports on the possible mode of action of metformin in virus control. Authors have mentioned, "Diabetic patients under treatment with this drug did not, in most cases, develop severe dengue." Are there any RCTs or evidences to support the claim?

Nevertheless, the article provides some drugs for re-purposing, which is interesting. Maybe the article can be revised with evidences from in vitro/insilico studies.