

Review of: "Post-Pandemic Reflections from Sub-Saharan Africa: What We Know Now That We Wish We Knew Then"

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The article, intended to guide the next pandemic in African regions, falls short in providing actionable recommendations for stakeholders and governments.

The suggested recommendations lack needed guidance and need to be unpacked in terms of their practical implementation.

Additionally, the avoidance of personal references is advised to mitigate potential biases.

The assertion that public health decisions should not be exclusive to public health experts is not valid, as the impact of pandemics extends beyond health, affecting various aspects of governance and life.

The broad statement about halting health insurance during a pandemic requires nuanced consideration,

The article overlooks discussing the effectiveness of palliative interventions provided in many countries during the COVID-19 crisis.

Furthermore, the absence of a post-pandemic evaluation, encompassing all relevant aspects, is a notable gap in the recommendations.

Addressing the ongoing presence of the COVID-19 virus and suggesting measures for current preparedness in this regard would enhance the article's comprehensiveness and utility.