

# Review of: "Factors influencing women's decision choosing a public or private health facility for tuberculosis (TB) services: An analysis of Nepal demographic and health survey data 2016"

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The article is well structured and largely provides an insight on the spectrum of social factors influencing ones behavior's to decide on where to seek medical care when got ill-health including TB.

However, the investigators could not compare and buy in the influences of key factors like (1)marital status, (2)where usually women go for other essential health services - eg reproductive, maternal and child health, (3)occupation, (4)distribution and gender outlay of available work force, (5)opportunities provided by national TB policy, (6)media emphasis on the available options.

These issues can be detailed in the literature review and also be reflected into the background information.

The study has provided an opportunity for other countries to qualitatively fill into the science gaps and improve PPP policies.