

Review of: "Internal migration and mental disorders among the adult population: a community-based cross-sectional study in Nepal"

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Dear Editor,

I am writing to provide a review of the article titled "Internal migration and mental disorders among the adult population: a community-based cross-sectional study in Nepal" for consideration in your journal. I believe this study makes a valuable contribution to the understanding of the association between internal migration and mental disorders in the Nepali adult population. However, I would like to suggest a major revision to enhance the transparency of the study.

Cordially,

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Abstract:

New revised abstract is acceptable.

Introduction:

-It needs to be reordered. Please write the first two paragraphs in one paragraph.

-Also, it needs an English editing such as "total mentally disordered population" and etc.

-Please justify the lines.

Method:

-English editing is required.

-Please merge "Study design" and "Sampling and sample size" as "Study design and sample size."

-Please merge "Measurement" and "Survey instrument and data collection procedure" as "Questionnaires and variables."

Results:

-English editing is required.

-I suggest you to add crude OR in tables 3 and 4. Also, completely write the OR: "0.71" instead of ".71."

Discussion:

-English editing is required.

-Please use more studies to expand the discussion. Use similar and contrasting findings from other studies.

-Please add the strengths and limitations of your study at the end of the discussion.