

Review of: "Treading the Thin Line Between Health Ethics and Patient Care in the Application of Telemedicine: The Case of Sound Ethical Guidelines in Telemedicine in Sub-Saharan Africa"

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Potential competing interests: No potential competing interests to declare.

Thank you for this important subject

Your paper's title is "Health Ethics and Patient Care with Telemedicine."

I did not find why this subject is essential in reading your paper. Did you experience non-ethical care with telemedicine? I think this should be stated in the introduction. Concerning the introduction, you describe telemedicine but very little about ethics, which is missing. For me, it is important because, by definition, caring for patients is ethical. Explain why you are separating ethics from caring?

In your text, it is unclear why you need to add ethics in telemedicine.

You are making a general concern but have no applicable proposals to guarantee ethical care in using telemedicine.

If I were a telemedicine solution provider, your article would not help my development because I would not have a clue how to apply more ethical aspects in my solution.