

Review of: "Covid-19 vaccine uptake and its associated factors among rural households in The Gambia: a community-based cross-sectional study"

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Comments:

General Comments:

1. Be careful in using the terms COVID-19 vaccines, COVID-19 vaccination, and COVID-19 virus because they have different meanings. For instance, instead of "tested for COVID-19 vaccines," I believe what you meant was "tested for the COVID-19 virus."

2. Kindly subject the paper to the expert opinion of a grammarian.

Methods:

1. Sampling technique - explain the reasons or purpose of employing multistage sampling - 1) simple random sampling, 2) systematic sampling, and 3) simple random sampling (for only 2 respondents) - how to ensure random sampling wherein everyone (the target population) has an equal opportunity to be surveyed or interviewed?

2. Kindly provide a description of the survey tool used in the study. Is it a semi-structured questionnaire, a validated questionnaire from published literatures (if this is the case, cite the reference/s), or provide detailed procedures on the tool validity process. (Take note: This is an important process for the validity of results.)