

## Review of: "SARS-CoV-2 Infection and Blood Group Associations in the United Arab Emirates"

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Need a major revision.

- 1. Sample size calculation. How do you calculate the sample size needed for this study? Please add the method that you used to calculate the sample size.
- 2. Cohort study. The author mentions the COVID-19 cohort patients in this paper. May I know if all the participants that were recruited in this study were followed after the baseline?
- 3. May I know the intention to compare the prevalence of blood groups between COVID-19 patients and blood donors?

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