

Review of: "Emerging Omicron Subvariants EG.5 and BA.2.86: Implications for COVID-19 Immunity and Surveillance"

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Comments to the Author

The article entitled "Emerging Omicron Subvariants EG.5 and BA.2.86: Implications for COVID-19 Immunity and Surveillance" presents a synthesis of the literature about Omicron mutations such as genomic data, epidemiological insights, transmission dynamics, and clinical implications. Despite the exciting results, the manuscript needs some editing (some I suggest below).

Introduction: The article's introduction is good but short, and the sentence citations are missing. I could observe about one citation for each paragraph, and I think more needs to be added.

Methodology: Please review the writing mistakes in the last paragraph at the beginning of the methodology.

Omicron Variants: I think the last four sentences could be joined into one paragraph.

Spread and Prevalence: The citation in the last paragraph should be corrected.

Transmission Dynamics: The citation in the first paragraph should be corrected.

Genomic Characteristics: The citation WHO,2023 should be standardized.

Conclusion: The second paragraph should be joined with the first one.

Figures: The two figures should be in better resolution.