

Review of: "An Analysis of Pharmaceutical Inventory Management at a Leading Teaching and Referral Hospital in Kenya"

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The article entitled "An Analysis of Pharmaceutical Inventory Management at a Leading Teaching and Referral Hospital in Kenya" provides valuable data for the scientific community and it also gives excellent information to healthcare authorities in order to optimize resource allocation and drug inventory management.

The title is comprehensive and reflects the main objective of the study.

The abstract should also include some methodological data, what parameters the authors analyzed in the present research.

The following paragraph is more suitable in discussion section

A study on the availability of essential medicines in some hospitals in Benin, Sierra Leone, Burkina Faso, Uganda, DRC, Mauritania, Togo, and Zimbabwe reported unacceptably low numbers of essential medicines [4]. Jingi et al reported that essential medicines were unavailable and unaffordable to patients in Western Cameroon [5]. Wangu and Osuga reported that stockouts were a common feature in many public hospitals in Nakuru County and Olubumni and colleagues reported that access to essential medicines in many hospitals in rural areas of South Africa was limited [6][7].

The objective of the study should be clearly stated.

The authors should deeply analyzed the data. They should mention how they do the analysis. I think is suitable a statistical analysis regarding % (**Total annual expenditure**).

I also suggest to mention how much represent medicines donated or obtained outside of the formal tender process.

The authors should also mention what are the strength of the present study and what are the practical implication of the present research.

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