

# Review of: "Rates and Reasons for Relapse of Pulmonary Tuberculosis in Adults — “Case of the MU YA Urban Health Zone”"

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Potential competing interests: No potential competing interests to declare.

Author has tried to find out the prevalence and reasons for relapse in adult tuberculosis patients

Abstract- may be limited to 250-300 words. Author may kindly state the aim and objectives of the study under a separate subheading. Abbreviations like CSDT, BBT, and BCT may be avoided in the abstract. The conclusion may be short, specific, and an answer to the research question.

Introduction- Recent data from WHO may kindly be added in place of data from the years 2019 and 2020. Evidence from recent studies may be added.

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Discussion- More evidence from recent studies may be added.

References- Both in-text and references in the end may be cited according to the Vancouver style or journal guidelines.

Conclusion- The author may add a few lines to conclude his research.

General comments- The author has chosen an important subject of reasons for relapse. The paper needs a few refinements as some findings are repeated; the author may cut down the tables by combining the variables affecting relapse. Multiple regression can be used to state the results.