

# Review of: "Burden and Predictors of Diabetic Nephropathy in an Adult With Diabetes Mellitus Patients on Follow up at Ambo University Referral Hospital Central Ethiopia"

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## Reviewer comments on the manuscript \_INQ7HU

The manuscript entitled 'Burden and Predictors of Diabetic Nephropathy in Adult Patients with Diabetes Mellitus on Follow-up at Ambo University Referral Hospital, Central Ethiopia' is a quite interesting study with appreciable implications for different stakeholders. However, the authors are encouraged to go through the comments below (in addition to those on the main document; see attachment in the supplementary data section) to improve the quality of the manuscript.

### Abstract

- The method section must be reformulated to include the evaluated parameters.

### Introduction

1. The rationale of the study is not really captured.
2. In terms of formatting, this section should be re-arranged into a maximum of 3-4 paragraphs.

### Results

1. The data presented as frequency should be in ratio form (X/total).
2. Tables 1 and 2 results are poorly commented. The authors should review the comments to be representative of the data presented in the tables.
3. In Table 3, the column 'No' is not clear; do explain well what it is about.

### Discussion

The English of the first paragraph should be reviewed.