

Review of: "How Competent are Health Professionals in Delivering Nutrition Education? A Cross-Sectional Study in Ebonyi State, Nigeria"

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Thank you for the opportunity to review this article. I find the concept necessary.

1. Perhaps there was a reason for the majority of participants to be nurses, but it is not stated.
2. Was there inclusion/exclusion criteria for participants?
3. The stated results are not reflective of the numerical infographics. We are also unaware of which departments the participants work in. A surgical nurse may have a different level of knowledge of nutrition than a cardiac nurses.
4. How was it determined to include dentists and physiotherapists.
5. Are dietitians credentialed or licensed in this area of Nigeria? How can we account for physiotherapists having more knowledge than a dietitian in Nutrition?
6. Is there a scope of practice defined by each of the types of participants.
7. Perhaps starting with 1 disease state that you find most significantly impacted by nutrition education or lack thereof.
8. And with the data, what do we do now? Perhaps awareness of resources? I think the in service idea is wonderful, but requires creation of materials and someone's time. Are there online resources you could direct readers to?
9. I'm not certain of how marital status is relevant
10. I found it challenging to link the figure data with the written data and to identify how results were interpreted.