

# Review of: "Carriage of oropharyngeal bacteria among children in a vulnerable rural population living in a tropical region in São Paulo, Brazil"

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The article titled "Carriage of oropharyngeal bacteria among children in a vulnerable rural population living in a tropical region in São Paulo, Brazil" offers a comprehensive examination of oropharyngeal bacterial carriage in a specific demographic—children residing in vulnerable rural communities in São Paulo, Brazil. The research, conducted in a tropical region, sheds light on the prevalence, types, and potential implications of bacterial colonization in this often overlooked population.

The strength of the study lies in its focus on a vulnerable group, providing valuable insights into the microbial dynamics in environments where healthcare resources may be limited. The research methodology is well-detailed, employing rigorous sampling techniques and comprehensive analyses to identify the diversity and prevalence of oropharyngeal bacteria. The inclusion of a tropical region adds relevance to the findings, as such environments often harbor unique microbial communities with distinct characteristics.

I recommend accepting the manuscript for publishing after making minor changes in grammar.