

Review of: "[Mini-review] Impact on Oral Health of Smoking Cigarettes, Cigars or Hookahs"

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The topic is important as oral health is often overlooked when considering tobacco use. The review points readers to some useful information but needed to be better structured and presented. There is no indication of the approach taken to the review or how articles used in the review were selected, so the reader has no way of telling if this mini-review has been conducted in a scientific manner or not. None of the references used are referenced in the text, so there is no way of telling where they are relevant. The topics studied are also very broad, encompassing cigar use, e-cigarette use, and hookah, which are very different forms of nicotine delivery with very different levels of evidence. Hookah and cigars have been studied for a lot longer than e-cigarettes, and we will have much better evidence about their oral health effects. A better approach would be to review just one of these delivery methods in more depth.