

# Review of: "Exploring the Experiences of Physical Therapists on Assessment and Management of Pelvic Floor Disorders Among Women in Rehabilitation Centers in Metro Manila: A Qualitative Descriptive Study"

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Good day, this is a very interesting study, and I would like to see the outcomes following the study. I believe this is a proposal; however, some issues need to be addressed to improve the article.

1. There is no consistency in the referencing style, especially the use of punctuation marks.
2. The direction of research has not been explicitly stated; as each paragraph in the background, knowledge, and probably the objectives seems to be a different lead, especially that they are all not speaking to the study title where authors mention exploring PT experiences on assessment and management of PFDs??? In some sections, you talk about evaluating PFM; elsewhere, you want to discuss teenage girls' need for awareness of PFDs, as they tend to seek general health advice from their mothers, friends, and the Internet. Then you also want to understand why PFDs, although a common condition, still lack public awareness?????
3. In the background, there is no smooth flow of narrations or ideas. It appears most sentences, though combined as a paragraph, have been written in point form. There needs to be some explanation and connecting verbs to allow flow, easy reading, and understanding.
4. In the background, it is important that PFDs are explained, and you must state what qualifies in this study as a PFD because in some sections, emphasis is on SUI??? Is the study focused on SUI, PFDs, or PFM?
5. The study population must also be adequately described because elsewhere we see teenage girls, older women, etc.
6. In the article, there are abbreviations that have been used without stating what they are; please ensure they are fully mentioned before being abbreviated, e.g., POP - what is it in this study?
7. In other statements, work has just been presented without referencing. It is important to acknowledge work for others.
8. Read thoroughly and correct missing words and grammar.