

Review of: "Post-Pandemic Reflections from Sub-Saharan Africa: What We Know Now That We Wish We Knew Then"

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Reviewer's comment

Title; Post-Pandemic Reflections from Sub-Saharan Africa: What

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General Comment: This review article address recent past major viral pandemic which impacted human life in several ways including high mortality and morbidity. It also brings opportunity to develop Vaccine with short period of time for subsequent pandemics.

Specific comment.

1. One of the major problems noted in Sub-Saharan Africa was data capturing and we didn't know much about COVID - 19 magnitudes due to poor data capturing and less testing capacity. What is your observation in this regards?
2. Existing surveillance system was also week in Africa and the next pandemic may not be like COVID-19 in Africa in terms of morbidity and mortality. So what future advice you suggest for sub-Saharan Africa to recognize early and tackle this kind of epidemic in the future
3. There was significantly low level of COVID-19 vaccine uptake in Sub-Saharan countries due to misinformation and myth. How can African's improve vaccine uptake in the future?
4. Local collaboration among Africa's were poor and every country were looking affiliation to one of the colonial relation or individual communication to developed country to get Vaccines and diagnostic kits which showed greediness /selfishness of those countries for their country. So how Africa minimize this kind of problem in the future