

Review of: "Prevalence and Factors Associated With Noncommunicable Diseases Among People Living With HIV at Kalisizo Hospital in Kyotera District, Uganda: A Cross-Sectional Study"

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Title: Prevalence and Factors Associated with <u>Selected</u> Non- Communicable Disease Among People Living With HIV at Kalisizo Hospital in Kyotera District, Uganda: A Cross-Sectional Study.

Introduction:

- 1. First paragraph; HIV/AIDs should be written in full for the first time
- 2. Paragraph 2; Briefly explain Non-Communicable Diseases are.

Methodology:

Inclusion Criteria; The sentence should be at least age 35

Sample Size paragraph 3 first sentence; The verb couldn't should be written in full

Data collection:

The last statement (the data collection process occurred **immediately......**)- this will affect your results especially blood pressure measurement.

Results:

Prevalence of NCDs among PLHIV at Kalisizo Hospital

The results do not add up ie. the total number stated by the authors add up to 171 instead of 115, the prevalence also add up to 58.7%.

Factors associated with each condition

State why the factors are associated with the PLHIV.

State recommendations

General Comment:



Overall, it is good to know NCDs among PLHIV and their risk factors for effective management of such people. This study attempts to address some selected NCDs and their risk factors among HIV patients in the Kalisizo Hospital in Uganda, which will improve upon patients care and management

However, the time interval for the data collection was short leading to a rush in sample collection.