

Review of: "Prevalence and Associated Factors of Hemorrhoids and Other Perianal Complications During the Puerperium Among Mothers Who Gave Birth at Debre Tabor Referral Hospital, Debre Tabor, Ethiopia, 2022"

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Dear Authors.

Thank you for the opportunity to review the article.

- 1. What is the main rationale of the study or its scientific contribution in terms of new knowledge? (The rationale for conducting the study is not well-explained.)
- 2. In the abstract section, it says "considering this great prevalence and the paucity of similar research in Ethiopia, this study was done to assess the prevalence." Hence, if the prevalence is already known in similar settings in Ethiopia, what is the importance of studying the prevalence?
- 3. Given the nature of the non-random (quota sampling) sampling technique, how do you ensure the external validity of the study?
- 4. The source and study population should be clearly stated (if the source population consists of residents of Debre-Tabor Town, in terms of classification of residents, nearly half of them were rural residents.)
- 5. Good to provide the limitations of the study.
- 6. Good to use one-third rather than (1/3rd)

Thank you!