

Review of: "[Review Article] Drug Use Disorder and Coping Mechanisms Due to COVID-19 Pandemic Measures: A Cross-Sectional Survey"

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- Introduction: More explicit delineation of the research questions or hypotheses guiding the study could be beneficial.
- Methods: Lack of clarity around ethical considerations, particularly the approval process for conducting research during the pandemic, and a need to more explicitly state the justification for selecting certain demographic and behavioral factors for analysis.
- Results: The findings require more interpretation and contextualization to enhance the presentation.
- Conclusion: Based on the study's findings, the report could provide specific recommendations for policymakers and healthcare practitioners.
- On the whole, appropriate revisions addressing these points, the manuscript has the potential to make a significant contribution to the field.