

Review of: "A Systematic Review of Antibiotic Use in Humans in Nigeria and Its Potential Contribution to Rising Antimicrobial Resistance"

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The article is clearly written, the authors made a successful contextualization of the topic for the readers, and it is very interesting. I propose a few points that could further enhance the work.

1. In page 3, last paragraph, the authors say they found 849 articles in total. But Figure 2 shows a total of 850 or 826. Is it possible that redesigning the searching question could enhance and improve the search? Maybe the inclusion and exclusion criteria could help to avoid such excessive duplication from the beginning of the study.
2. Also, please explain why, from 850 articles, the authors found 799. This suggests that the algorithms used for the searching were very poor. I suggest generating specific variables including the population and the two most important variables of the study.
3. In page 8, the authors show a long Table 1. I think this Table 1 should be sent to available external data.