

Review of: "Government Communication and Behavioral Change amidst COVID-19: Role of Awareness and Fear & Panic"

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It's my immense pleasure to review the article entitled "Government Communication and Behavioral Change amidst COVID-19: Role of Awareness and Fear & Panic". The article presented an interesting topic with some statistical evidence. However, some of the observations are as follows.

1. The sample size (304) is not adequate to represent a country. The minimum sample size for a large or infinite population should be 384 or more.
2. Although all statistical methods have been stated in the methodology section, it would be better to include a subsection, "Statistical Analysis" to state all the statistical methods more precisely.
3. From the study, it is observed that 97% of the respondents are tertiary educated. It indicates that the research had been conducted on a specific group rather than including people from all other educationally qualified groups. In this case, the result of the study can be biased and may not represent the country.
4. In section 3.3, the value within the several brackets is missing; Example: BC().
5. Overall, the paper has presented its results with sufficient statistical evidence, and apart from the mentioned points, the overall quality of the article is good.