

# Review of: "Comparative Study Between the Efficacy of 4% Articaine Infiltration and 2% Lidocaine Nerve Block as Local Anesthetic Agents for Painful Dental Procedures in Children Aged 6-18 Years"

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Potential competing interests: No potential competing interests to declare.

Kindly respond to the following observations:

1. What is the study design?
2. If it is a randomised controlled trial, then which type was it? Parallel or crossover?
3. Were any guidelines for reporting a clinical trial followed? If yes, kindly explain in the methodology.
4. Has this trial been registered?
5. How can pain in children who require pulpotomy be the same as those requiring extraction?
6. Please clearly mention the inclusion criteria.
7. Why was an injection needed after one week?