

Review of: "Patterns of Psychosocial Dynamic Factors Surrounding Suicide Notes on Facebook Platforms: A Netnographic Approach"

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The paper is interesting and addresses a very important topic; however, in my opinion, some aspects need to be worked on to improve the manuscript.

1. Background

1.1 I believe that the introduction of the manuscript could benefit from a reorganisation of concepts, enabling the reader to follow more fluently the reasoning that oriented the study and justified the methodological choices made by the authors.

In particular, according to my point of view, the background could be presented as follows: introduction of the phenomenon of suicide, reference to the growing trend whereby more and more young people are using social media as a space to communicate their suicidal intentions through posts and notes, research on social networks and the scarcity of data on the relationship between suicide and social media, the need to employ research that adopts a qualitative methodology.

2. Objectives of the study

It would be appropriate to specify what research questions are intended to be answered by the presented study.

3. Methodology

3.1 It would be appropriate to provide more details on how the Facebook groups were identified and the cases were selected.

5. Discussion

I believe it is important to discuss the study's findings, describing their original contribution.

6. Bibliographical references

6.1 The authors should review the citations given in the text and those given in the bibliography section ('References').

6.1.1 With regard to the former, some of them are inconsistent with those given in the References section (e.g., Kulavuz-Onal et al., 2013 is given in the text, which should actually correspond to Kulavuz-Onal & Vàsquez, 2013). In addition,

care should be taken to cite references in the text by presenting them in alphabetical order when more than one citation needs to be quoted in parenthesis (e.g., Oguntayo, 2023; Olaseni et al., 2021;, rather than the other way around).

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