

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 systematic review has several potential issues that may need to be addressed before it is suitable for publication:

The time period covered by the review is quite dated, as it only includes studies from 2000-2017. Given that many similar studies have been released in the last 7 years, the review may not be capturing the most up-to-date evidence on the topic. It would be ideal to expand the search to include more recent literature.

The review only included 11 articles, which may not be a sufficiently comprehensive sample to draw robust conclusions. Expanding the search and including a larger number of relevant studies would strengthen the evidence base for the review's findings.

The references used in the introduction section appear to be outdated. Incorporating more recent citations would help provide proper context and framing for the review.

Overall, updating the time period covered, expanding the literature search, and ensuring the references are current would help strengthen the manuscript and make it more suitable for publication. The limited number of included studies is also a concern that should be addressed.