

## Review of: "Knowledge among Health care workers (HCWs) regarding biomedical waste management (BMW) during COVID-19 Pandemic"

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The paper is on an interesting topic. Medical waste is, indeed, a serious issue, and Covid-19 has substantially increased the amount of medical waste worldwide. However, the way the paper is written at the moment seems to have only limited information value.

About the setup, it is unclear where the study took place; there is a reference to SKIMS. Where and what is that? This is a somewhat essential information.

The finding of the paper is that more qualified staff have a higher awareness and knowledge about medical waste than less qualified staff. So, what is the interpretation of that? Why does this matter? What conclusions are drawn from this? Why do we need to know this?

Also, the text uses some journalistic, rather non-academic language.

I do not consider the paper publishable at this point. To make it publishable, there should be a clear research question that is answered at the end in a conclusion.

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