

Review of: "Prevalence and Associated Factors of Hemorrhoids and Other Perianal Complications During the Puerperium Among Mothers Who Gave Birth at Debre Tabor Referral Hospital, Debre Tabor, Ethiopia, 2022"

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The title is informative and relevant but what is the purpose of mentioning 2022 in the title?. The abstract is clearly written and points out what was found in the study. However, the aim of the study is not clear. The introduction is nicely written and it is clear what is already known about the topic. The research question is not clearly outlined neither the research hypothesis is mentioned. The process of subject selection is not clear. The variables of the study have not been defined. What questionnaire was used? Was it validated? If yes, how? How was the questionnaire administered? Who was collecting the data, the researcher team or someone else? The methodology section lacks details. The results are well-presented. The tables are clear, appropriate units, rounding and number of decimals have been used. The titles of columns and rows are labelled correctly and clearly. The text in the results adds to the interpretation and is not repetitive. The authors are clear about a statistically significant result. The discussion is good and the results have been discussed from multiple angles. The authors mention in their conclusion that "This was the first study conducted as far as our search is concerned". This statement is not agreeable. First study where?? In the world? In Ethiopia? In their continent? In their city/ hospital??

The limitations of the study is not mentioned.

The references are relevant, recent and correctly cited in the text.