

Review of: "Lassa fever cases suffer from severe under-reporting based on reported fatalities"

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1. Title:

Lassa fever cases suffer from severe under reporting-based on reported fatalities.....do modify the title to make it more catchy.

1. Introduction:

The primary zoonotic reservoir (*Mastomys natalensis*) is thought to be responsible for most cases in endemic regions with limited human-to-human transmission. Sporadic human cases are detected in non-endemic countries due to infected travellers. Most infections (~ 80%) are thought to produce minimal symptoms, while symptomatic disease can lead to severe symptoms requiring hospitalisation and death.----- give citations/references

The number of estimated cases can then be compared to the reported cases to produce a proportion of expected cases that are reported. This approach has been adopted during the current COVID-19 pandemic by organisations such as the World Health Organisation and can help to estimate the unrecognised burden of a disease. give citation/references for the statement.

1. Conclusion:

The conclusion in the main text is shorter than that in the abstract.

Add more text in the conclusion.

1. References:

Add more references; at least 10-15 references in total.