

# Review of: "The Parental Role in Child Sexuality: A Phenomenological Study"

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Overall, I think this article can be greatly improved. First, much of the research you cite is more than eight years old. There has been a lot of research done in the past eight years on this topic. I recommend looking into the following journals to learn more about the topic:

Family Relations, Sex Education, American Journal of Sexuality Education, Journal of Adolescent Health, American Journal of Public Health, Child Development, etc. The theoretical framework of the study should also be addressed. The theories that are discussed are old and while they have provided some foundations into the theoretical thinking of today, there are newer and more appropriate theories to use. It is recommend to utilize a developmental lens or look into Parent-Child Sexual Communication. One should be able to find theories and articles that are more appropriate for the study.

The first 30 pages can be reduced to 15 pages. Much of the information that is provided is unnecessary.

Overall, this article seems outdated and lacking the foundation of appropriate theory and research to inform the actual study. .