

# Review of: "The Universal Accessibility Provisions in Hospitals of New Delhi, India"

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This article is a potential attempt to explore and understand the issues of accessibility in public hospitals in India. Although, beyond some minor revisions, I admire with the authors for exposing the realities on the ground through their efforts of collecting the data regarding the issues of accessibility provisions for PWD's in government hospitals. The interpretation of the research results with lucid discussion exposed a clear description of the implementation procedures of the legislative reforms in practice. However, these are some minor changes and inputs that need to be acknowledged before the article is preceded for publication.

- In the introductory section, please elaborate briefly on the paradigm shift of disability rights from the medical model to the social model of disability. It seems to have been touched at citation (3), but it needs further elaboration as the PWD Act of 2016 also goes in line with the principles of social model.
- Kindly compare and contrast the census data in your article with recent NFHS estimates on disability in India.
- While citing (2) and (12) in the literature section, elaborate on the different obstacles faced by people with disabilities while accessing health care facilities.
- Please recheck the citation (16) as the authors studied research done on the public hospitals of Malaysia and the citation refers to a study in the Ahmadabad city, India
- In the methodology, the sampling tool used namely "Survey Monkey sample calculator" needs a brief description or a reference of the particular research using this.
- Revisit the reference guide of the journal and modify the existing references of the article as accordingly.