

## Review of: "Perceptions and Attitudes about COVID-19 Vaccines Regarding Vaccine Intention and Hesitancy of Attendants of a Healthcare Center in Northern Cyprus"

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Comments.

Dear Editor,

Thank you for the opportunity to review this manuscript.

It is an important paper especially in the current dispensation of infectious diseases and especially we having to live with Covid19 as a worldwide disease.

I however have some major comments I will like the authors to address.

## Introduction:

- 1. Paragraph 4-----Any reference for the listed obstacles
- 2. Paragraph 5-----Any reference for the previous definition of Vaccine hesitancy?
- 3. Paragraph 9----Can you please cite some of those studies conducted among health workers in Cyprus.
- 4. The concluding part of the introduction about the aim should be in the past tense.

## Method

- 1. Can the authors provide a better reason for using the non-probability sampling?
- 2. How was the sample size determined?
- 3. How was the data collected (self-administered questionnaire or interviewer administered)
- 4. ETHICAL ISSUES----This is redundant as it has been repeated elsewhere in the paper with more details.
- 5. How did you obtain consent, verbally or written? Some of the participants were below 18 years, how did you obtain consent from those within this group?

## Results.

- 1. In Table 1----"n" what is "n"?
- 2. Table 3 shows the Covid19 Vaccination status of the participants" is redundant.

Discussion.



- 1. Paragraph 1: Are there any studies supporting or refuting the statement "Of the participants....81%...."
- 2. Paragraph 2: "Our findings ...." What is this statement supporting otherwise it should be deleted.
- 3. Paragraph 11: "However correct knowledge about the disease......" (https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph182412902). You may cite this study for this statement.
- 4. Paragraph 12: This statement may not be relevant to this study discussion.
- 5. Can you please include some implications of the study for practice?

Strengths and Limitations: Can you please include strengths and limitations?

The tenses in the study should be looked at especially as the study has been conducted already and only reporting the findings.

Thank you.