

# Review of: "Patterns of Social Dynamics Surrounding Suicide Notes on Facebook Platforms: A Netnographic Approach"

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## REVIEW REQUEST

Esteemed Authors,

Thank you for submitting this important article. Here are some recommendations to improve its structure.

### 1) INTRODUCTION:

a) Definition of Suicide: e.g. [Suicide - Mental Health UK \(mentalhealth-uk.org\)](https://www.mentalhealth-uk.org/)

[Suicide Definition & Meaning - Merriam-Webster](https://www.merriam-webster.com/dictionary/suicide)

b) Some historical notes about suicide to distinguish it from auto-euthanasia, or religious self-killing still present in some cultures

### 2) METHODOLOGY

Why have you chosen netnography? I imagine this as being an exploratory research design. Hence, the exploration of the axiology, epistemology, and ontology of your research and research design. Also important is to mention your theoretical framework, e.g., Social Network Theory or others.

## METHODS

1. Your study 'Objective' seems to be Aims:

2. Define:

- a. Study Aims: what you claim as 'OBJECTIVES'
- b. Research questions that your study wants to answer
- c. One or two objectives to answer and address your study aims (what you do in order to answer the research questions)

## ETHICAL ASPECTS

What are the ethical implications of this research? Why do you not need ethical approval? Ethics in the data

dissemination of vulnerable populations.