

Review of: "Post-Pandemic Reflections from Sub-Saharan Africa: What We Know Now That We Wish We Knew Then"

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The manuscript is interesting, and such work is indeed necessary for improved management of similar contexts in the future. Focus is put on policy making during the pandemic: while this unequivocally shapes the evolution of a pandemic, I suggest that emphasis be also given to preparedness in terms of training of frontline professionals, improvement of healthcare infrastructures, and improvement of networking for ready exchange among countries on the continent. These accounted a lot for the hardship that incurred in many regions of the continent. Another aspect that played an important role in the management of COVID-19 was the lack of systems to facilitate access to communities in the countrysides; it would be interesting to elaborate on that.