

# Review of: "How E-School Counseling Has Supported Learners Facing Pandemic Challenges: Results and Perspectives for Counseling Professionals"

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The topic is novel and generate insights however there exist many structural issues which needs corrections

1. In the introduction and literature review section research gaps are not well identified. Not even a single paragraph dedicatedly mentioned about "WHY" this research is necessary? What previous studies highlights about the topic under study? What has been done in the past ? what is still not captured? More literature is required to be done.
2. Qualitative studies generally have research questions and objectives but hypothesis are uncommon to write in qualitative research.
3. Methodology section needs revamp. The process of conducting focus interview, in-depth interviews is not highlighted. List of questions is missing in the paper
4. Analysis does not include the excerpts of the interviews and transcripts of the focus groups (FG). No themes have been generated on the basis of interviews and FG. This requires thematic analysis.
5. Implications are missing.