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Journal Name:	<b><u>British Journal of Medicine and Medical Research</u></b>
Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_BJMMR_21755</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>ERYTHROCYTE TRANSFUSION AND ALLOIMMUNISATION PATTERNS AMONG SICKLE CELL DISEASE PATIENTS, BENIN CITY, NIGERIA</b>
Type of the Article	<b>Original Research Article</b>

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**PART 1: Review Comments**

	<b>Reviewer's comment</b>	<b>Author's comment</b> <i>(if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)</i>
<b><u>Compulsory</u></b> REVISION comments	<p>Although the paper does not add anything new in the literature, it is an interesting article concerning the development of allo-immunization in patients with sickle cell disease.</p> <p><b>It is well known that the alloimmunization is a major problem in polytransfused patients. What do the authors suggest in order to reduced he problem? Do the patients receive hydroxycarbamide? If they do why are they transfused?</b></p>	<p>Reviewer comments noted with thanks. The study adds to the existing body of knowledge regarding alloimmunisation in Nigerian SCD. Recommendations are also made to reduce the burden of alloimmunisation including hydroxyurea therapy.</p>
<b><u>Minor</u></b> REVISION comments		
<b><u>Optional/General</u></b> comments		