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PART 1:

Journal Name:	International Journal of TROPICAL DISEASE & Health
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PART 2: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	**Author's comment** *(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)*
Compulsory REVISION comments	**Page 1 line 20:** ….assess the feasibility of implementing one health approaches project to…. **Page 1 line 23:** refer to page 1 line 28-30 your study design is community trial **Page 1 line 32-35:** (1) baseline and end line surveys of what and which method of survey used (2) what are the issues that you used as indicators to assess the project feasibility and how do you assess/determine or evaluate **Page 1 line 37-48:** Please show the results from the assessment of feasibility. Actually, I think conceptual model (system model) is the outcome or results of this study. If you assess the feasibility of the project you should specify the issues that you assessed in the first place. If you assess the effectiveness of the project you should show something like rabies incidence in humans/animals or number of dog bites injuries or number of post exposure prophylaxis treatment in control and experiment group or before and after the project. **Page 3 material and methods:** **(1)** use subtitle for each category **(2)** Say how do you assess/analyze data **(3)** Line 102 surveys of what	

	(4) Grouping the activities and explain in brief how and who did **(5)** Line 114 how and what did they monitored **(6)** Reference of how to evaluate financial and economic cost **Page 4: results and discussion** (1) Use subtitle (2) Make the results clear and relevant to the aim of the study (3) Line 165-166 what is vaccination coverage after the project (4) Line 173-175 should have more details **Page 10-11 Table 1:** (1) Better split for each activity and do not always have to show everything in table (2) Compare and contrast with control group if possible (3) Show percentages, prevalence, incidence if possible	

Minor REVISION comments	**Page 3 line 93, 95:** checked viz, viz. **Page 6 lesson learnt.** Line 188-198 Numbering each lesson or use words throughout **Page 7 line 202:** Figure-1 should be better appear in the results **Page 7 Definition**: try to use simple word and just explain it when it first appears.	
Optional/General comments	Page 2 line 51: why not use the word like conceptual model that described a model for rabies prevention and control in a rural community in India instead of "system model" for reader to understand easily. Page 2 line 64: the most common vectors are dogs (96%) and cats (2%) (1). Page 2 line 70: collaboration instead of "cooperation and coordination" Page 2 line 72: In Thailand is the same as in India there are two separate ministries but we work in collaboration and talk to each other. Page 2 line 74: Say only .....rabies is a neglected disease or rabies is a disease of low priority both..... Page 3 line 79: delete ! Page 3 line 83: why don't tell straight away what you did study instead of ... "health services research" Page 3 line 84: .. to demonstrate a model project to prevent rabies in humans and animals in rural areas of India..... (Instead of " a model"....) In general please check vocabulary throughout i.e.	

	livestock/ live stock, base line baseline, line 198 twelfth year plan (2012-2017), the use of ‘ and “ etc. Page 12 in animal health&welfare activities ~~anti-~~rabies vaccination of dogs	

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