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PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment <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>
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments	- conclusion in abstract is not clear, please rephrase - Legends in tables do not state the meaning of data it represents. It should be a simple sentence stating what the data is all about. - show a copy of the structured questionnaire	The "conclusion" has been rephrased to reflect the results and we hope the meaning is clearer. The Table Legends have also been rephrased as much as possible. However the tables 3 & 4 still read "Treatment Practices" and Prevention and Control Practices" as it seemed explicit enough without making it into 'simple sentences'. Also, a copy of the questionnaire has been attached. Thanks.
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments	- line 32 delete babies - italicize Plasmodium falciparum in text -	The "babies" in line 32 has been deleted and the <i>P. Falciparium</i> italicized. Thanks
<u>Optional/General</u> comments	The article has brought to knowledge the practices of malaria treatment by healthcare workers. It has greatly contributed to knowledge.	Thanks for your contributions.