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Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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PART 1: 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)
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments	In abstract under the sub heading of result relevant important more statically analysis data should be included. In conclusion there is no brief description of the major findings of the study included. In method there is no mention of prior informed consent from the patient before collecting data for this study. Funding & competing interest of this study are not mentioned.	
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments	In methodology, age limit of the patients should be included & whether the study is retrospective observational or interventional is not mentioned. In the results repartition of the tuberculosis cases according to evolution difference between the recovery & completed treatment is not defined. In the discussion part during the comparison with other studies, results of other studies are not mentioned along with.	
<u>Optional/General</u> comments	For better comparison age specific outcome of the patients can be studied. More references can be included	

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