



**SDI FINAL EVALUATION FORM 1.1**

**PART 1:**

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| Journal Name:            | <a href="#">International Journal of TROPICAL DISEASE &amp; Health</a>                 |
| Manuscript Number:       | 2014_IJTDH_13112                                                                       |
| Title of the Manuscript: | CONVENTIONAL IDENTIFICATION AND ANTIBIOGRAM OF E. coli SEROTYPE O157:H7 IN ABUTH ZARIA |
| Type of the Article      | Original Research Article                                                              |

**PART 2:**

| FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Authors' response to final evaluator's comments |
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| <p>The topic of the article is of interest as it improve the knowledge of the local pattern of antibiotic resistance and of the local infections from <i>E. coli</i> O157:H7. It can be useful to target antibiotic treatments in clinical environment and furthermore to promote surveillance and good-practise in hygiene and antibiotic usage.</p> <p>From its first submission the article improved lots, demonstrating a reasonable effort from the authors. Even if there are still possibility to simplify its reading reorganizing the results and discussion section, the article can be considered enough accurate for its publication.</p> |                                                 |

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