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| Journal Name:            | <a href="#">International Journal of TROPICAL DISEASE &amp; Health</a> |
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**PART 1: Review Comments**

|                                            | <b>Reviewer's comment</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>Author's comment</b> (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) |
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| <b><u>Compulsory</u></b> REVISION comments | <b>Ethical evaluation of this study was not mentioned, nor approved. Considering the involvement of Human beings (even to fulfil a questionnaire), it is mandatory accordingly international regulations.</b>                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b><u>Minor</u></b> REVISION comments      | <p>On table 2, number within parenthesis lack unities (possibly %). Nevertheless, their sum does not reach 100%.</p> <p>Reconfigure bars on table headers.</p> <p>Citations in text were numeric, whereas reference list was presented alphabetically, with no numbers.</p> <p><b>Ethical issues :</b><br/>No mention of ethic evaluation, or approval was made.</p> |                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b><u>Optional/General</u></b> comments    | This manuscript is moderately well written. However, the significance of its findings are very limited and of regional importance only.                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                      |

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