



SDI FINAL EVALUATION FORM 1.1

PART 1:

Journal Name:	Journal of Advances in Medical and Pharmaceutical Sciences
Manuscript Number:	2014_JAMPS_11341
Title of the Manuscript:	Levels of oxidised low-density lipoprotein and high sensitivity C-reactive protein associated with retinal vascular occlusions
Type of the Article	Short Research Article

PART 2:

FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to final evaluator's comments
The authors state that it is not strictly necessary to have controls, since this is a pilot study and OX-LDL and HSCRP both have normal ranges. I agree with this sentence but, how appropriate is it to compare with a group of control with a number of two? The authors have thought it might be interesting to include some normal subjects, but I believe that the controls should be removed (if they cannot be increased in number) from the paper.	Thank you to the Final Evaluator for their constructive advice. We agree with the opinion that the small control group be removed. We have removed all mention of the control group from this pilot study and have used the normal range as the reference range.