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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)
Compulsory REVISION comments	I appreciate the authors to have taken efforts in carrying out this study. However, kindly follow up this study with the mentioned comments in bringing excellent output to the target audience <u>ABSTRACT</u> Correlation of viral DNA with aggressiveness using fluorescence need to mentioned <u>MANUSCRIPT</u> Various studies have been conducted individually on the detection of HPV & EBV in OSCC & AB, However, in comparison to them already done, it would be better if the sample size is corrected to bring out accuracy. Hence increase the sample size and run the samples through the same cycle to redefine your results Criteria for stratification of the OSCC & AB need to be standardized equally as this is not appreciable on random division to come to an idealistic results Clarify the Procedure - Histopathological preparation need to be described before the PCR process, usage of negative sample & HPV types detected	



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	Conclusion statements in abstract need to be further supported in the discussion regarding etiology in OSCC & malignant transformation of ameloblastoma Ultimate aim of the study shown is the detection & correlation of HPV & EBV in OSCC & AB. However, the etiopathogenesis for its persistence & correlation of these viruses in OSCC & AB must be clearly described by the author as it remains unclear Mention the ethical clearance statement & conflict of interest statement Ethical clearance need to be stated	
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments	44 line – change the phrase ‘other districts of human body’ Fig 1 & 2 remain unclear Kindly make the manuscript better understandable with less repetitions and direct explanations	

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