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| Journal Name: | British Journal of Medicine and Medical Research |
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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) |
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| Compulsory REVISION comments | <p>Good subject and good presentation. I propose some minor revisions concerning:</p> <p>1. Materials and methods:</p> <p>a. Please give information about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - # of institutions in Kuala Lumpur where issued the sample, and - # of elderly in these institutions. <p>b. Concerning multivariate analysis:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The authors wrote: The multivariable analysis is shown in table 4. From the univariable analysis, the statistically 220 significant variables were all included at the same time in one model for the multivariable 221 analysis.). <p>Or</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The authors define "Co-morbidities yes" represent participants who reported 140 at least one chronic co-morbidity, so this variable must be excluded from the multivariate analysis because the high collinearity with chronic diseases : please verify. <p>2. Results:</p> <p>Concerning Table 1: Characteristics of participants & Table 2: Medical history of participants: Please give information about p values.</p> <p>Some similarity with : Obinna Francis Onunkwor1*, and al (reference #19)</p> | |
| Minor REVISION comments | <p>1. Please correct:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Table 3: in univariable analysis: <p>By: Table 3: in univariate analysis</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Table 4: ... SRH in multivariable :byin multivariate analysis <p>2. Concerning discussion: not necessary to put subtitle for each paragraph.</p> | |
| Optional/General comments | | |

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