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EDITORIAL COMMENT'S on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to editor's comments
<p>1. Authors should provide ethical approval number in the Materials and Methods section not in Abstract.</p> <p>2. Needs to abbreviate packed cell volume, white blood cell count, red blood count etc where they appear first in abstract and other part of manuscript.</p> <p>3. Introduction section has very small paragraphs. They need to merge with the consideration of their meaningfulness.</p> <p>4. Normally people consume bitter melon fruits, not leaves. Why did the author study leaf extract?</p>	<p>Ethical approval number provided as suggested in materials and methods section and marked as yellow.</p> <p>Correction effected and marked as yellow</p> <p>Introduction duly revised and marked as yellow</p> <p>In Nigeria, the leaves are used as condiments in herbal products which are widely consumed and abused.</p>