

## Review Form 1.6

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| Journal Name:            | Asian Journal of Pediatric Research   |
| Manuscript Number:       | Ms_AJPR_92820   |
| Title of the Manuscript: | Pattern of Mortality among Neonates Admitted in the Special Care Baby Unit of the Rivers State University Teaching Hospital, Port Harcourt, Nigeria |
| Type of the Article      |   |

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| <b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments | The topic is good with some modification as reflected in the abstract, but lacks adequate literature search .<br>Abstract is poorly structured and did not follow the standard format of abstract presentation of IMRAD FORMAT.<br>The main aim of the study that is the pattern of mortality amongst neonates was not established by the study.<br>Sample size estimation was not established in the study and sampling techniques was not also presented.<br>The data analysis was not appropriate for the study |   |
| <b>Minor</b> REVISION comments      | APA format of referencing was not obeyed and discussion of the results was not well exhaustive to capture the main variable of interest. The recommendation did tally with the study results.  |   |
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