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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	The manuscript addresses the issue of superficial mycoses in two child populations in Nigeria. However, the quality of the presentation is low, which prevents us from fully perceiving and understanding the relevance of the study. The manuscript requires review of the language in which it is submitted. Currently both <i>T. rubrum</i> as <i>T. mentagrophytes</i> are considered complex, so they should update this information throughout the manuscript. The discussion should include the limitations of the study, for example that some of the fungi they identified form species complexes that can only be differentiated by molecular methods, which they did not use in this study. Authors must review the format of all references, which must be in accordance with the indications of the journal.	
Minor REVISION comments	Minor corrections are indicated by comments inserted in the manuscript.	
Optional/General comments	The molecular identification of the species complexes <i>T. mentagrophytes</i> and <i>T. rubrum</i> would greatly enrich their study.	

PART 2:

	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)
Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)	

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