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Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_JAMMR_92431</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>OCULAR MANIFESTATIONS AND SOCIO-DEMOGRAPHIC FACTORS AMONG ADULTS ON HIGHLY ACTIVE ANTIRETROVIRAL THERAPY (HAART) IN ENUGU, NIGERIA</b>
Type of the Article	<b>Original Research Article</b>

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**PART 1: Review Comments**

	<b>Reviewer's comment</b>	<b>Author's comment</b> (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)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments	<p><b>Abstract:</b>            Include in the abstract a background of the study indicating the gap and the need for the study.  <b>Methods:</b> Please reframe the first three statements. You may rewrite the statement in two parts since its too long.  <b>Conclusion :</b> the statement "No association was found between the sociodemographic....." should be deleted since it is reporting the results. Include a recommendation.  <b>Introduction:</b>            Paragraph 4, Line 1: That statement is untrue since the problem has been extensively researched in other developing countries and Nigeria as well. Please revise that statement.            What is the identified gap and what does this study adds to the existing literature?  <b>Methods:</b>            Did you use a fomula for calculating the sample size? Please state so and indicate the formula used.            Paragraph 2 line 4: You stated in the abstract that you used a semi structured questionnaire but you have contradicted yourself by statin you used structured questionnaire. Please correct this and revise accordingly. The methodology is shallow and not detailed. A lot of salient information missing. Eg. Data collection procedure  <b>Results:</b>            Report all the sociodemographic data and generate a separate table for it.            Commentary under table 1 line 6: That information on the mean CD4 count and duration of HAART are not captured in table 1 nor anywhere in the results making it difficult to accept this. "All (100%) with CD4 count less than 100 had HROM" Which of the population make up this 100% and where from this reults.            Please arrange your results well since it is confusing. The statement "the frequency and classes of ocular manifestation are shown in table 2 and fig 3 below. Yet the first fig to be seen is Fig 1 and 2            Fig 1: Use a white background instead of the black. Difficult to read the variables.  <b>Discussion:</b>            Paragraph 1 Line 4 "85.5% were at HIV clinical stage I and II" Where from this results. It is not captured anywhere in your results. I feel some of your results are cooked and not a true reflection of the data collected and analysis done.            Line 8- 10: comparing your study with the study in Brazil is inappropriate since their sample comparatively lower (42) than yours (331).            Paragraph 3: The authors seem to be discussing the findings of other authors and not the findings of their study.            Paragraph 4 Line 4: "All participants were on HAART and most had CD4 count &gt; 200cells/uL" This information should have been captured in the analysis.            Write the strength and limitation of this study.            From the results presented in this work, the research topic should be revised to exclude the sociodemographic factors.</p>	
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments	<p>Please check the fonts used. Looks like some information were copied and pasted in the test without making adjustment in the font and font size.            Please proof read your work and make the necessary grammatical corrections.</p>	
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<b>Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?</b>	<i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i>	

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