

## Review Form 1.6

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	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)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments		
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments	<p>Dear Editor, Confidential</p> <p>a) The principal point of this study to determine the factors that impacted the uptake of the combination of herbs and medication or supplements to treat COVID-19.</p> <p>b) I think that this study is suitable, after minor revision, to be published onto your prestigious journal.</p> <p>Comments to Authors This study showed that most COVID-19 patients used herbs in combination with medication or supplements for their treatment; therefore, there is a need for educational campaigns to educate both patients and health care professionals about herb-drug interactions Authors are kindly requested to emphasize the current concepts about these issues in the context of recent knowledge and the available literature. This articles should be quoted in the References list.</p> <p>References</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Obesity, COVID-19 and immunotherapy: the complex relationship!. <i>Immunotherapy</i>. 2020;12(15):1105-1109. doi:10.2217/imt-2020-0178.</li> <li>2. Signaling repurposable drug combinations against COVID-19 by developing the heterogeneous deep herb-graph method [published online ahead of print, 2022 May 4]. <i>Brief Bioinform</i>. 2022;bbac124. doi:10.1093/bib/bbac124.</li> </ol>	
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