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Journal Name:	Asian Journal of Medicine and Health
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Title of the Manuscript:	ULTRASONIC MEASUREMENT OF LEFT VENTRICULAR MASS INDEX OF HYPERTENSIVE AND NORMOTENSIVE ADULTS IN A TERTIARY HOSPITAL IN SOUTH SOUTH NIGERIA.
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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)
<p>Compulsory REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is the manuscript important for scientific community? (Please write few sentences on this manuscript)</p> <p>2. Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)</p> <p>3. Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</p> <p>4. Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</p> <p>5. Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</p> <p>6. Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form.</p> <p>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</p>	<p>Yes , this data is been proven already. The above mentioned correlation is established in multiple clinical large trials. The number participants were large in previous study. Conclusion is same.</p> <p>Yes Need to have changes in inference. Comprehensive language of conclusion is mandatory. In both abstract AND final conclusion. Need to have changes. Abstract, discussion conclusions needs to be changed. Result should include other findings both positive and negative other cardiac structure including EF and valves status. Other pathology regarding Increasing LVMI should be evaluate as etiology, not just HTN before labelling only cause.</p> <p>Yes But need to change the format of manuscript language. Word reductions needed</p> <p>Yes Reference Younger patients, duration of HTN correlation with LVMI should be added</p>	
<p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</p>	Some changes in language used will change the words count .	
<p>Optional/General comments</p>	<p>CAUSE AND EFFECT ARE ALREADY PROVEN WITH MULTIPLE LARGE SCALE STUDIES WITH VARIED ETHNIC POPULATIONS.</p> <p>No new benefits of the study.</p> <p>Other etiological finding not mentioned</p> <p>BLOOD PRESSURE measurements of all four limbs is must.</p> <p>ABI has to be considered rule out coarctation.</p> <p>Renal Artery stenosis to be ruled out</p> <p>Pheochromocytoma to be ruled out</p> <p>Valve size and structure with pliability to be considered</p> <p>All above are needed before labelling HTN as the only correlation with raised LVMI</p>	

PART 2:

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

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