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Journal Name:	International Journal of TROPICAL DISEASE & Health
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Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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