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PART 1: Review Comments

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<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>The purpose of this study was to determine the level of knowledge, attitude and performance of students and employees of three Tanzanian universities about traditional medicine.</p> <p>In my opinion, along with knowledge and attitude, it should be added as the practice of traditional medicine Components of knowledge, attitude and practice (KAP)</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Please mention reference for this text: There has been a growing demand from individuals and community groups for greater recognition and formalization of TM education and dispensing in Tanzania. These calls have become more prominent during the outbreak of the Coronavirus Disease (COVID). The beneficial use of natural remedies against COVID was uncertain since most of them were new to the market, lacked scientific evidence of effectiveness, and received limited user feedback. To harness the potential benefits of TMs for public and human health while minimizing any associated adverse effects, concerted efforts are required to study and regulate their utilization.</p> <p>The used questionnaire should be added to the article in the form of a figure or in the form of a table; Throughout the text of the article, the questions in the three areas of knowledge, attitude and performance are not clearly mentioned and how the formalization of traditional medicine has been investigated.</p>	
<p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</p>	yes	
<p>Optional/General comments</p>	Please write a brief explanation about Tanzanian traditional medicine and treatment solutions. Does this article mean only things that are used by people in villages? Because the history of living in the village has been asked.	

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