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Journal Name:	South Asian Journal of Research in Microbiology
Manuscript Number:	Ms_SAJRM_107746
Title of the Manuscript:	Antimicrobial Resistance and Molecular Detection of ESBL Klebsiella pneumoniae in Urine of Suspected UTI Patients Attending Public Hospitals in Nasarawa South Senatorial District, Nasarawa State, Nigeria.
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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><u>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</u></p>	<p>Yes, as this provides information about Klebsiella pneumoniae regarding antimicrobial resistance pattern, MAR Index, Prevalent resistant genes in part of Nigeria.</p> <p>No, It should be "Detection of Antimicrobial Susceptibility Pattern and Molecular Detection of Resistance genes in Klebsiella pneumoniae isolated from urine sample of Suspected UTI patients Attending Public Hospitals in Nasarawa South Senatorial District, Nasarawa State, Nigeria"</p> <p>Conclusion requires re-structuring</p> <p>Yes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - In Material & Methods the subsection should be Study design, study population, study duration, Sample size calculation, inclusion exclusion criteria should be there. - Sample collection and storage criteria not proper - In Molecular detection of resistant genes, the kit name and instrument name should be mentioned and the procedure followed, i.e., reference no. 15 is from 1994. Recent procedures should be followed. - In Material & methods and in results the sequence of texts and sequence of tables are not matching. - The section of result and discussion should be separate and not together. <p>Yes</p> <p>--</p>	
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