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Title of the Manuscript:	Dimensionality and scale properties of psycho-social distress and complications in type 2 diabetes population using Diabetes Distress Scale
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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><u>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</u></p>	<p>Yes, the manuscript is very informative and contribute substantial information to the scientific community.</p> <p>I suggest the title to be reflect the findings and reads: Dimension of psycho-social distress and associated-complications in type 2 diabetes population.</p> <p>This statement is a bit confusing " During the investigation period, 205 patients' medical records were analyzed and assessed through direct patient interviews, and the results were analyzed using a chi-square test". This being a prospective study, yet it involved scrutiny of patents' medical records...and then direct interviews?! This needs to be clarified.</p> <p>The objectives or aim of the study is not clearly stated, which make the conclusion hanging; because as the authors did not show how they " aimed at preventing diabetes, mitigating its effects, and reducing annual healthcare expenses". regardless of the word " dimensionality" but description of the numbers should be put in words for the readers to assimilate.</p> <p>More references are required especially on the discussion section; such as the role of sex hormones, difference of beta cells number between men and women and discrepancy in physical (muscular) activity that may affect insulin sensitivity.</p>	
<p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</p>	The language used is clear and suitable for the scholarly communications.	
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