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| Journal Name:            | <a href="#">Asian Journal of Education and Social Studies</a>  |
| Manuscript Number:       | <b>_AJESS_126448</b>   |
| Title of the Manuscript: | <b>Assessing the factors hindering the implementation of adult education in Open and Distance Learning system in Mbeya, Tanzania</b> |
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**PART 1: Review Comments**

| Compulsory REVISION comments  | Reviewer's comment  | Author's Feedback <i>(Please correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)</i> |
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| Please write a few sentences regarding the importance of this manuscript for the scientific community. Why do you like (or dislike) this manuscript? A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.                        | The manuscript addresses an interesting topic entitled: "Assessing the factors hindering the implementation of adult education in Open and Distance Learning system in Mbeya, Tanzania". Adult learning refers to a range of formal and informal learning activities, both general and vocational, undertaken by adults after leaving initial education. An adult social care assessment is a process which identifies what adults want to achieve in order to maintain or improve wellbeing, whilst having as much independence and control over day-to-day life as possible.  |   |
| Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)  | The title of the article is suitable.   |   |
| Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? Do you suggest the addition (or deletion) of some points in this section? Please write your suggestions here.   | The abstract is comprehensive but needs improvements. For example, the sentence "The study assessed the factors hindering the implementation of adult education in Open and Distance Learning system in Mbeya, Tanzania whereby two research objective namely to examined the practice of adult education through online distance learning in Mbeya region and exploring issues that hinder the practice of adult education through online distance learning.", should be written because in some parts it does not make sense.   |   |
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