

**Review Form 3**

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| Journal Name:            | <a href="#">Asian Journal of Research in Infectious Diseases</a>  |
| Manuscript Number:       | Ms_AJRID_124322   |
| Title of the Manuscript: | Early identification of sepsis among the patients triages via emergency severity index (ESI) from a tertiary care hospital of a low-income setting. |
| Type of the Article      | Original Research Article   |

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### PART 1: Review Comments

| <b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments   | <b>Reviewer's comment</b>   | <b>Author's Feedback</b> (Please correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here) |
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| <p><b>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.</b></p>                        | <p>Overcrowding in the emergency services is a global public health problem especially in developing countries. The issue of segregating sick patient on the amount of severity is prudent especially in high volume centre with limited resources. The article covers the use ESI score to</p>   |   |
| <p><b>Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)</b></p>  | <p>1, Doesn't aptly suggest about segregating sick patients among sepsis patients<br/>                 2 Word TRIAGES cant be used as a PLURAL<br/>                 3 Early identification is not a correct word as only one time collection of data without actually coming in contact with patients (as per methodology)</p> <p>Suggest <b>'Early identification of severe sepsis using emergency severity index (ESI) triage in a tertiary care hospital of a low-income setting.'</b> Or as per authors discretion</p>                        |   |
| <p><b>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.</b></p>   | <p><b>Yes structured and adequately representing the article</b></p>  |   |
| <p><b>Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</b></p>  | <p><b>yes</b></p>   |   |
| <p><b>Please write a few sentences regarding the scientific correctness of this manuscript. Why do you think that this manuscript is scientifically robust and technically sound? A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.</b></p> | <p><b>The abstract mentions</b> 'single center, prospective and observational study' whereas in methodology 'single center, cross-sectional, and observational study' both are different and imply different meaning. So methodology requires to be streamlined<br/>                 Within results- it would have been preferable if the data presented on disposition and fate is discussed with respect to ESI grade 1,2,3. This would make the data more meaningful<br/>                 The other parts of the article are fairly framed</p> |   |
| <p><b>Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestions of additional references, please mention them in the review form.</b></p>   | <p><b>References are quoted in a standard format and sufficiently quoted for the discussion</b></p>   |   |
| <p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <p><b>Is the language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</b></p>  | <p>As suggested in title, methodology (changes suggested for results may be at pure discretion of the editor</p> <p>yes</p>   |   |
| <p><b>Optional/General</b> comments</p>   |   |   |

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**PART 2:**

|   | <b>Reviewer's comment</b>  | <b>Author's comment</b> <i>(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)</i> |
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| <b>Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?</b> | <i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i> | <b>No</b>   |

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