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Journal Name:	Asian Journal of Medicine and Health
Manuscript Number:	Ms_AJMAH_122634
Title of the Manuscript:	Assessment of Iron Status of Hypertensive Subjects in Yenagoa, Bayelsa State, Nigeria.
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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PART 1: Review Comments

Compulsory REVISION comments	Reviewer's comment	Author's Feedback (Please correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
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 subject is scientifically interesting and has an impact on human health	
Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	yes, the title 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.	yes, the summary is comprehensive	
Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?	yes, the structure of the summary is appropriate	
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.	from a scientific point of view, the research subject is relevant and will have long-term repercussions on human health. From a technical point of view, I would suggest modifications to make it more robust.	
Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestions of additional references, please mention them in the review form.	70% of references are recent and only 30% are more than 10 years old.	
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Is the language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?	YES	
Optional/General comments	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The method used to calculate the sample is unclear 2. the correlations made between iron biomarkers and age and sex are inadequate. I prefer to look for other factors, such as obesity, nutrition or alcohol use. 3. Table 2 is of no use 4. how were the case-controls chosen and from which site? 5. a difference in numbers between the two groups is large 172/74 6. results are poor 	

PART 2:

	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)
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