

## Review Form 1.6

Journal Name:	<a href="#">International Journal of TROPICAL DISEASE &amp; Health</a>
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Title of the Manuscript:	Prevalence, Pattern and Outcome of Congenital Anomalies among Babies admitted in a Neonatal Unit in Southern Nigeria
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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)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Can substantiate about of 7 babies who died among total number of congenital anomalies. Any particular system involved in causing mortality of these babies.</li> <li>2) Number of babies required surgical interventions for correction of anomalies like umbilical hernia, gastroschisis etc</li> </ol>	
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Any change in incidence of Congenital anomalies in singleton and multiple births.</li> <li>2) Number of cases diagnosed antenatally by Ultrasound scanning</li> <li>3) Radiographs of babies to diagnose musculoskeletal anomalies</li> </ol>	
<b>Optional/General</b> comments	<p>It is a mega study of follow up of admissions for 2 and half years.            Take home message is diagnosing antenatally so as to be prepared for any immediate corrections to save the baby. Antenatal control of maternal diabetes, hypertension, nutrition of mother, avoiding smoking etc to reduce anomalies.</p>	

### PART 2:

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<b>Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?</b>	<p><i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i></p> <p>Written consent of parents to collecting data and to take photographs of babies is required.</p>	

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