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### **PART 1: Review Comments**

	<b>Reviewer's comment</b>	<b>Author's comment</b> (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	<p>The aim of the study mentions awareness creating on oral care among mothers of children less than 5 years old. However, there is no mention in the article about how the authors created awareness in the mothers. It is therefore suggested that the aim be reframed as follows: To assess the knowledge and awareness on oral care among mothers of children less than five years old.</p> <p>Self made questionnaires when used, as in the present study, need to be validated before use. There is no mention about such validation in the article.</p> <p>As the data percentages are illustrated in pie graphs in results section, repeating the percentages in discussion can be avoided.</p> <p>Grammar and sentence-framing spelling corrections need to be made. The questions in the table in results sections too need many such corrections as they lack clarity.</p>	
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments	Spelling corrections are needed	
<b>Optional/General</b> comments	The article aim is relevant and results useful to recommend modifications in oral care practices. It can be published after the above mentioned changes are made to refine it.	

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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>	

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