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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)
Compulsory REVISION comments	<p>Below are my comments regarding the manuscript:</p> <p>Introduction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> “Our team has extensive knowledge and research experience that has translate into high quality publications (19),(20),(21),(22),(23),(24),(25), (26),(27),(28),(29),(30),(31),(32),(33),(34),(35),(36),(37),(38)”. This sentence should be removed. As well as the respective references. The following references must be renumbered. <p>Results:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Figure 1 is unnecessary. The information is described in the text. “The predilection of sites affected in all the 5 patients with osteomyelitis were found to be 40% of the patients were affected in maxillary left posteriors, 20% of those patients were diagnosed in the mandibular anterior and posterior regions [Figure 2].” It does not match Fig 2. Figure 2 does not show case of osteomyelitis in the anterior mandibular site. Caption of Figures 3: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> “In this graph, red denotes the 30-40 years of age, pink denotes the 41-50 years, grey denotes the 51-60 years and yellow represents the 61-70 years of the age group of the patients taken for our study. Here, the graph shows that osteomyelitis was found to be more prevalent among the individuals who are aged between 41-50 years (40%).” This information is unnecessary. Caption of Figure 4: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> “Blue denotes acute osteomyelitis, green denotes fungal osteomyelitis and orange denotes chronic suppurative osteomyelitis.” This sentence is unnecessary. “It shows that the majority of females (40%) are highly affected with acute osteomyelitis when compared to males (20%).” This sentence is unnecessary. The font size in Figure 1, 2 and 3 are too small. I suggest placing similar to Figure 4. References 39-52 should be renumbered. <p>References:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> References 19-38 must be removed. 	
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