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REVIEWER'S REPORT

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Title: A Descriptive Study to Assess the Level of Knowledge Regarding Polycystic Ovarian Disease among Adolescent Girls in Government Inter College of Dehradun, Uttarakhand

Recommendation:

- Accept as it is
- ✓ Accept after minor revision.....**
- Accept after major revision
- Do not accept (*Reasons below*)

Rating	Excel.	Good	Fair	Poor
Originality		✓		
Techn. Quality		✓		
Clarity		✓		
Significance	✓			

Reviewer Name: Dr S. K. Nath

Detailed Reviewer's Report

Strength of the study

- The study addresses an important adolescent reproductive health issue with public health relevance
- Focus on awareness regarding PCOD among school girls is timely and meaningful
- The objectives and findings are clearly presented in simple language
- Discussion and recommendations are practically useful for school health education
- The study highlights the need for awareness programs and preventive strategies
- Limitations and future recommendations are appropriately mentioned

Weakness of the study

- Methodology section lacks detailed information regarding sample size and statistical analysis
- Ethical clearance and informed consent are not clearly mentioned
- Several grammatical, spelling, and formatting errors affect manuscript quality
- References and citation details are missing completely
- The questionnaire validation process is not described adequately
- Results are mostly descriptive with limited analytical interpretation and scientific depth

Reviewers Comments

The manuscript presents a relevant descriptive study focusing on the level of knowledge regarding PCOD among adolescent girls in a government inter college in Dehradun. The topic is important because awareness regarding reproductive and hormonal disorders among adolescents remains limited in many educational settings. The study appropriately highlights the increasing prevalence of PCOD and emphasizes the importance of early awareness, lifestyle modification, and school based health education. The findings indicating inadequate knowledge among adolescent girls are meaningful and support the need for educational interventions. The manuscript is written in simple language and the discussion, conclusion, and recommendations are easy to understand. However, the study has several methodological and presentation related limitations. Ethical clearance approval and informed consent procedures should be clearly stated. The manuscript contains multiple grammatical, spelling, and formatting inconsistencies that require careful correction. The absence of references, detailed statistical analysis, and validated questionnaire description reduces the scientific strength of the study. Overall, the paper addresses an important issue but requires major revision to improve methodological clarity and academic quality.

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