

## REVIEWER'S REPORT

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**Title:** Knowledge Regarding Ringworm Among the Peoples of Gazaria, Mushiganj.

### Recommendation:

Accept as it is .....

**Accept after minor revision.....**

Accept after major revision .....

Do not accept (*Reasons below*) .....

| Rating         | Excel.    | Good | Fair | Poor |
|----------------|-----------|------|------|------|
| Originality    |           | Good |      |      |
| Techn. Quality | Excellent |      |      |      |
| Clarity        | Excellent |      |      |      |
| Significance   | Excellent |      |      |      |

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### Detailed Reviewer's Report

1. Ringworm is a common fungal infection of the skin, scalp, or nails that causes an itchy, circular rash, despite its name containing "worm."
2. Dermatophytosis, commonly known as ringworm or tinea, is a contagious superficial fungal infection that affects the skin, hair, and nails.
3. Dermatophytosis, commonly known as ringworm or tinea, is a highly contagious, superficial fungal infection that affects the skin, hair, and nails. Despite its colloquial name, it is completely unrelated to worms; it is caused by microscopic, mold-like fungi called dermatophytes. These fungi survive by feeding on keratin—the tough, protective protein found in outer skin layers, hair shafts, and nails.
4. Health knowledge refers to the factual, explicit information people possess regarding diseases, health risks, prevention, treatments, and navigation of healthcare systems. Having a strong foundation in health knowledge allows individuals to make better choices about

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nutrition, lifestyle, and medical care—a concept known as health literacy.

5. Depending on whether you are looking for the scientific concept of health knowledge or specific educational platforms named "Health Knowledge," here is a comprehensive breakdown.
6. Public health is the science and art of preventing disease, prolonging life, and promoting physical and mental health through organized community efforts and informed choices. Unlike clinical medicine, which focuses on treating individuals after they become sick or injured, public health looks at entire populations to stop health problems before they start.
7. Ringworm is a highly contagious, superficial fungal infection of the skin, hair, or nails—not a worm. Also medically known as tinea or dermatophytosis, it gets its common name from the characteristic ring-shaped rash it leaves on the skin.
8. Ringworm is a common, highly contagious fungal infection of the skin or scalp despite its misleading name, which often makes people think it is caused by a worm. Known medically as dermatophytosis or tinea, it affects people worldwide across all demographics, though certain cultural practices, living conditions, and geographical regions influence how it spreads and is perceived.
9. Ringworm is a highly common, contagious fungal skin infection that affects roughly 20% to 25% of the global population at any given time. Despite its misleading name, the condition is caused entirely by microscopic fungi called dermatophytes, not by an actual worm. This infection can appear nearly anywhere on the body, breaking down a tough protein called keratin found in human skin, hair, and nails.
10. Key words are good but can be included more words.
11. Result part is impressive with pie chart and tables with values.
12. Summary points only can be included.
13. References can be made in alphabetical order.
14. After those small changes good to publish in your journal.