

Review of: "Life of Indigenous Communities During the COVID-19 Pandemic"

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The topic is good, but the duration of the study is not clear, as the study period or data collection time was not mentioned in the method or even in the abstract.

In the abstract and intro, coronavirus disease 2019 should be written as COVID-19 in the initial stage. Even Covid19 and COVID-19 are two different forms in the abstract. Problems in other abbreviations too, like ILO.

The background should be funnel-shaped with global, regional, and local data.

45 respondents were selected purposively, but it's not clear about the identity of the key informants. Not only indigenous people but also other important stakeholders related to crisis management during Covid-19 should be included to get the real scenario; otherwise, it could be one-sided.

The authors used a questionnaire, which is confusing. Usually, a questionnaire is not used in a qualitative study; it's a tool for a quantitative study.

Without a results section, it's not a complete manuscript. Results and discussion should be two different sections.

The theoretical framework in the conceptualization and discussion was not correlated in many areas. Even other theories were mentioned in the discussion.

In the conclusion, nothing was said about the coping or adaptation in the Covid crisis.