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Journal Name:	Journal of Advances in Medicine and Medical Research
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Title of the Manuscript:	Knowledge, Attitude and Practice Regarding Infection Control Procedures among Dentists of Karachi
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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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	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Add a note on the questionnaire being used in this study. Whether it is a newly created one or adapted from a previous study. 2. Make a note on whether ethical approval was obtained? 3. The questionnaire does not seem to include any items pertaining to attitude of the dental practitioners. The title of this study can be modified to reflect only the knowledge and practices of infection control among dentists of Karachi. 4. A small note on limitations of this study can be added in the discussions and recommendations made for any future researchers before undertaking their study. (See optional/general comments) 	
Minor REVISION comments	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What are the infection control guidelines prescribed by the Pakistan Medical & Dental Council. Discussing this in the manuscript as well would be advised. 2. Was the questionnaire administered through 'paper' form or online?? 3. Minor grammatical corrections required. 	
Optional/General comments	<p>This study lacks all the aspects of infection control viz. eye wear protection, disposal of infectious wastes, immunization and training of dental assistants in this regard, All these components may be considered as a future study to obtain completeness of the research objectives. Also, a structured questionnaire having sub-sections evaluating Knowledge, Attitude and Practice of infection control may be designed in the future. Follow guidelines of a 'KAP model' for the same.</p>	



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Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	<i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i>	

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