



**SDI Review Form 1.6**

Journal Name:	<a href="#">South Asian Journal of Research in Microbiology</a>
Manuscript Number:	Ms_SAJRM_59640
Title of the Manuscript:	Molecular Detection of Extended Spectrum and AmpC $\beta$ -Lactamase Resistance in Escherichia coli Isolated from Diarrheic Children in Lafia, Nasarawa State, Nigeria
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)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments	<p>1, Title of the manuscript is about "Molecular Detection of Extended Spectrum but major focus of the work is studying the resistance of isolates only. Title may be modified accordingly.</p> <p>2. It was obvious that Imipenem, Cefoxitin, due to their higher pricing , unprescribed usage was low. More scientific evidence may be provided for the E. Coli susceptibility to these drugs.</p> <p>3. As the authors mentioned results are not surprising, please provide/ elaborate more significance of this study as compared to previous ones</p>	
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments	Please provided basis for selecting the 70 samples, how statistically significance this study is? The presence of other bacteria along E.Coli and their role in resistance may also be mentioned.	
<b>Optional/General</b> comments	Over all study is Good and can be published after incorporating the above comments.	

**PART 2:**

	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)
<b>Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?</b>	<i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i> Ethical Approval declaration is part of the manuscript.	

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