



**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	The introduction is very elaborate. There is scope for condensing the matter. Age of the subjects (children) has not been mentioned, as E.coli is the normal flora in all, except in cases of infantile diarrhoea.	
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments	The materials and methods have been again elaborately described. You can change it to "Standard microbiological procedures" wherever required. Since the reviewer is aware of the std procedures.  Table 2 can be omitted since all 70 samples yielded E.coli.  Table 4 can be made more informative.  Spelling of Cefazidime in the conclusion needs to be corrected	
<b>Optional/General</b> comments	Overall a good article for publication	

**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)
Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details) <b>NO</b>	

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