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| Please write a few sentences regarding the importance of this manuscript for the scientific community. A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part. | The piece points to redressing the issue regarding Poverty Alleviation, as stipulated in SDG1. It throws light on achieving the World That We Wnnt. | Thanks for the positive comment and appreciate and I recommend more studies to be done in this area |
| Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title) | School community participation in overcoming pregnancy problem in primary schools: An assessment of Morogoro Municipality, Tanzania The above is my suggested title. Thank you. | Thank you for the comment but I have made a minor correction considering other comments from other reviewers. The title will be: Assessment of Participation of the School Community in Managing the Primary School Pregnancy Problem in Morogoro Municipality, Tanzania |
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| <p>Is the language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</p> | <p>Yes, please. However, the introductory language is a bit “loose” to meet the academic tone.</p> | <p>I have taken the comment seriously and tried to strengthen the language in the introductory part</p> |
| <p>Optional/General comments</p> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The introduction is very long. 2. There is neither a subsection as a Literature Review nor Contextualising the case of Morogoro. This is expected if this is indeed a Qualitative Case Study. 3. What makes Morogoro very special for this study? Why is the study focused on the Morogoro School Community? Why is the case special? Kindly bring all these out. Problematised the problem or case. Thank you. 4. Be keen about intext referencing. Many strong statements aren't referenced in the text. 5. The sub-headings under the introduction, which could be a literature review or contextualising the case, are not captured under the purpose or objectives of the study. Kindly do that. 6. Qualitative study must capture the 'study site', 'methods', and 'limitations and validity' under the methodology part of the paper in detail. This is called 'Thick Description'. Kindly do that. 7. Your abstract shows that this is a qualitative case study. The qualitative study gathers data mainly from Interviews or Focus Group Discussions. However, no data was shown from these data collection tools in the study. Kindly attach them. 8. There are no ethical issues raised in the paper. How gate keepers were contacted are not reported. Nothing concerning secrecy and confidentiality to respondents are shown. Kindly add them to the work. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The introduction has been shortened by separating it with a literature review 2. Thanks for the comment I have introduced the literature review section 3. I have explained in the manuscript why Morogoro is the case study 4. I have noted the comment. Thank you 5. I have captured the heading of the literature review and so on 6. The comment has been considered in the manuscript. Thank you 7. comment number 7 yes, the qualitative case study has been applied to data analysis 8. Ethical issues (secrecy and confidentiality to respondents) have been captured as suggested early by another reviewer. All the primary schools used a simple, no anyone with gatekeeper as most of the primary schools in Tanzania have no gate keepers instead matrons and patrons were the representatives |

PART 2:

| | <p>Reviewer's comment</p> | <p>Author's comment <i>(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)</i></p> |
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