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## PART 1: Comments

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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.	This manuscript is important for the scientific community as it addresses the growing concern of Type 2 diabetes and hypertension among secondary school children, a population that is increasingly at risk due to lifestyle changes. By focusing on primary prevention and management strategies in Morogoro Municipality, the study provides valuable insights into early intervention approaches that can help reduce the long-term burden of these chronic diseases. The findings contribute to public health policies, guiding schools and healthcare providers in implementing targeted awareness programs, lifestyle modifications, and preventive healthcare measures. Furthermore, this research supports global efforts to combat non-communicable diseases by emphasizing the importance of early health education and intervention in adolescent populations.	
Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	The current title, "Knowledge on Primary Prevention and Management of Type 2 Diabetes and Hypertension among Secondary School Children in Morogoro Municipality, Morogoro Region-Tanzania," is informative but could be refined for clarity, conciseness, and impact.  Suggested Alternative Titles:  1. "Awareness and Practices of Primary Prevention and Management of Type 2 Diabetes and Hypertension Among Secondary School Students in Morogoro, Tanzania"  2. "Assessing Knowledge of Type 2 Diabetes and Hypertension Prevention Among Secondary School Children in Morogoro Municipality, Tanzania"  3. "Understanding Primary Prevention and Management of Type 2 Diabetes and Hypertension Among Adolescents in Morogoro, Tanzania"  4. "Knowledge and Practices of Secondary School Students in Preventing and Managing Type 2 Diabetes and Hypertension in Morogoro, Tanzania"	
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