Reviewer's report

Title: Virologic versus immunologic monitoring and the rate of accumulated genotypic resistance to first-line antiretroviral drugs in Uganda

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It is known today that the virological monitoring is an early marker of failure of antiretroviral treatment that minimizes the accumulated mutations and can affect treatment that could be offered second line.

Following this assessment, taking into account of course the limitations of this study has already been described by the authors. Indeed it would be interesting to describe briefly the developments immunological patients who underwent genotyping.

This article only reinforces what we think of immunological monitoring and / or clinical only.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests' below