Reviewer's report

Title: Chlamydia trachomatis Infection in Early Neonatal Period

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Level of interest: A paper of limited interest

Advice on publication: Reject

Discretionary revisions:

Compulsory revisions:
1. Numerous grammatical errors throughout the text
2. The written language of the text is truncated and very difficult to follow
3. The authors conclusions are not at all supported by the cases reported
4. Under materials and methods the authors should have stated the total number of patients admitted to their neonatal unit during the study period
5. It is not stated the number of term infants with respiratory symptoms that tested negative for Chlamydia
6. The clinical data on the patients reported are incomplete and scattered throughout the text and tables.
7. The fact that the patients tested positive for C. trachomatis, may or may not have been associated with their clinical findings. This should have been addressed on the discussion section of the paper.

Competing interests:

None declared.