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I, Ana Lidia Ciamponi, would appreciate if you consider the manuscript entitled: “Impact of health conditions on oral health-related quality of life of children with cerebral palsy”, for publication in the BMC Oral Health. This scientific manuscript deals with different factors such as the impact of the type of CP, cognitive/motor ability, presence of seizures, dental caries and socioeconomic conditions, which could have a negative impact on the OHQoL of children with CP, as well as the impact of the children's oral conditions on the whole family. The study demonstrates that the severity of cognitive ability, dental caries and the family income are conditions strongly associated with a negative impact on OHQoL of children with CP.

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