Reviewer's report

Title: Clinical, and histological characterization of oral pemphigus lesions in patients with skin diseases: a cross sectional study from Sudan

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I have reviewed the article Clinical, and histological characterization of oral pemphigus lesions in patients with skin diseases: a cross sectional study from Sudan. The authors have done histopathological and immunohistochemical study on oral pemphigus vulgaris. In the present scenario, we Dentists will rely on immunofluorescence either direct and indirect and ELISA. Already known information about oral pemphigus vulgaris is listed. The study will be interesting if the authors have considered genetic studies (genomic aspect of pemphigus vulgaris). In the histopathological aspect authors can add cytological study using Papanicolaou (Pap) stain and methylene blue stain to detect acantholytic cells in oral pemphigus vulgaris.

References


The authors can follow simple scoring system for oral pemphigus vulgaris.

Reference


In the immunohistochemical study the authors should elaborate class of IgG and complement (for eg: IgG3, IgG4, C3, C4) useful for diagnosing pemphigus vulgaris. Authors have just given IgG and C3 in the immunohistochemical and study is incomplete.

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