Reviewer's report

**Title:** Housing equity for health equity--A rights-based approach to the control of Lassa fever in post-war Sierra Leone

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**Reviewer:** Sunday A Omilabu

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1. Authors need to introduce better, rodents as agents of deadly infectious agents in addition to LFV
2. Mastomys natalensis and other species are known to carry Lassa virus. This must be emphasized in this type of paper discussing generally about rodents transmitting LFV.(pg2. Line 4,p.3-parag.2,line4)
3. Authors should provide reference for the claims cited (pg.4)
4. The statement on burrows as used on pg 6 should be modified. These can be any rodents' burrow

**Level of interest:** An article of importance in its field

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable

**Statistical review:** No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.