Reviewer’s report

Title: Telbivudine can safely reduce mother-to-child transmission in chronic hepatitis B women after 12 weeks of gestation

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The Manuscript entitled 'Telbivudine reduces mother-to-child transmission in chronic hepatitis B patients' is describing appropriately the the given title. The efficacy and safety of telbivudine in chronic Hepatitis B infected women during pregnancy was assessed

Line # 180: HBsAg was 'detected' can be changed to HBsAg was 'screened', as it gives the false impression of HBsAg positive in 235 infants

Line # 127: Breast feeding could have been allowed for control group as this is not a blinded study.

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