Reviewer's report

Title: Oral health conditions using IOTN, DMFT, CPI, OHI, PI in an Albanian adolescent population: an epidemiological study

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The paper was study on descriptive epidemiology in Albanian population. The comments are aim to improve the manuscript.

Major comments

1. Background: When discussing the burden of oral diseases, it is good to refer the series of papers of the Grobal burden of disease 2010 study. (e.g. Marcenes et al.)


2. In background, much detailed explanation of each oral health indices should be moved into method sanction.

3. Weighted analysis for representing Albania adolescent should be adapted.

Minor comment

4. Line 152: “50 per cent” should be “50 percent”

Declaration of competing interests:

'I declare that I have no competing interests’