Reviewer's report

Title: Prevalence of Trichomonas Vaginalis Infection in Egyptian Women: Cross-Sectional Study

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Major Compulsory Revisions:
1) The manuscript Title, Aim and Introduction shows that the study is a cross-sectional prevalence survey; however, later in the methods, results and discussion, the story has been shifted to a comparatively analysis of the results focusing on detection methods comparison. 2) If the modified Diamond Culture is considered as the gold standard (detecting 30 positive cases), the specificity of the Kalon Latex Test (detecting 50 cases as positive) must be much lower than what the authors showed (97.9%).

Minor Essential Revisions:
1) The data of the tables are mostly repeated in the text. 2) The photographs could be omitted or decreased to one photo. 3) The last paragraph before the discussion, does not make sense. 4) In the discussion part: a) The first paragraph should be omitted; b) the lines 133 to 137 should be documented with references; c) lines 138 to 140 should be omitted. 4) As clinical symptoms are highlighted and analysed by the authors, other possible accompanied STI agents would be recommended to be considered.

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Not suitable for publication unless extensively edited

Statistical review: Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.

Declaration of competing interests:
I declare that I have no competing interest.