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**Title:** Effects of gestational age and the mode of surgical abortion on postabortion hemorrhage and fever: evidence from population-based reproductive health survey in Georgia

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**Reviewer:** Santiago Palacios

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Interesting study due to the number of patients it provides. However, it should be explained:

- Abortions are studied from 2005 to 2010. As we are in 2017, this difference in years is not well understood. The logical thing would have been to study, for example, abortions from 2010 to 2015.

- The bibliography is outdated and does not comply with the norms, since the year of the journal in some cases is at the end of the bibliographic citation, and in another at the beginning.

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