Reviewer’s report

Title: DOUCHING PRACTICES AMONG WOMEN IN THE BOLGATANGA MUNICIPALITY OF THE UPPER EAST REGION OF GHANA

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Reviewer: Emmanuel Ajuluchukwu Ugwa

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Good JOB. Indicate what local dialect was used. How was the sample size calculated and what was rationale? Provide evidence that vaginal douche with ordinary water is harmful. Chemical douche is no doubt harmful. Did you associate any harm including RTIs with the clients in this study? Education is not strongly associated with douching, please run a correlation statistics. Did you find any association between religion and douching? What position did the women use when they douche? What is the implication of your findings to women's reproductive health? What future research direction do you suggest? What are the limitations of your study?


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