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#### PART 1: Review Comments

Compulsory REVISION comments	Reviewer's comment	Author's Feedba
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Please write a few sentences regarding the	This article presents significant contributions to the scientific community by addressing an important gap in	
importance of this manuscript for the scientific	our current understanding of Short Films as a Medium for Gain in Knowledge and Change in Practices	
community. Why do you like (or dislike) this	Regarding Menstrual Health and Hygiene Amongst the Adolescent Girls. Its findings are well-supported by	
manuscript? A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be	data and adopted methodologies, which can potentially influence future research directions. I particularly	
required for this part.	appreciate the clarity in presenting complex results, as well as the authors thorough discussion of the	
	implications of their work. However, there are a few areas as mentioned in comment sections where further	
	clarification or expansion might enhance its overall impact. Overall, the manuscript offers valuable insights	
	and is a strong candidate for publication.	
Is the title of the article suitable?	The title is clear but too long and could benefit from being more concise <b>Suggestion:</b> Evaluating the effectiveness of Short Films on Menstrual Health Awareness and Practices	
(If not please suggest an alternative title)	Among Adolescent Girls in Government Schools of Vadodara (2022-2023)	
Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? Do	The abstract depicts a relevant study but again looks little lengthy, addressing the use of short films as a tool for educating adolescent girls on menstrual health and hygiene. However, there is still a scope for its	
you suggest the addition (or deletion) of some	improvement to bring more clarity and precision.	
points in this section? Please write your	The authors may continue with the continuous follow but should maintain a rhythm starting from	
suggestions here.	background, methodology, findings, and conclusion statistical analysis can be refined to highlight the primary findings and others more clearly. Mention about significant difference regarding short films.	
	Few key words may be added as well	
Are subsections and structure of the manuscript	The structure seems alright, however scope of improvement is always there. Besides, for the appropriateness of the manuscript authours should largely consider specific guidelines (if any) of the	
appropriate?	publishing journal.	
Please write a few sentences regarding the	The manuscript is well written and demonstrates scientific robustness through its well-defined research objectives and systematic methodology. The use of a pre-post experimental design effectively allows for the	
scientific correctness of this manuscript. Why do	assessment of knowledge and behavioral changes among adolescent girls regarding menstrual health and	
you think that this manuscript is scientifically	hygiene.	

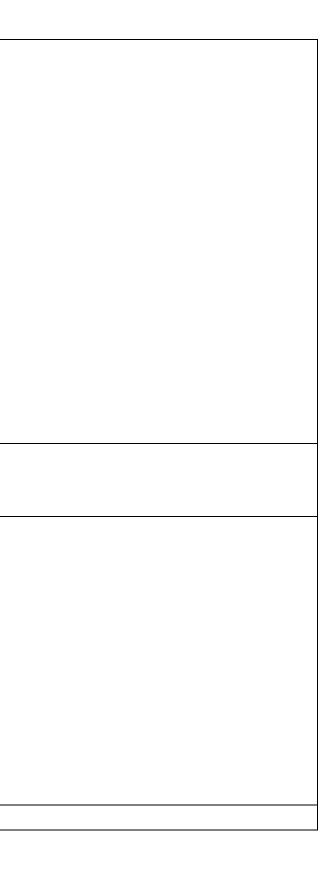
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robust and technically sound? A minimum of 3-4	However, a scienticfic justification may be required weather the sample size of participants is adequate for drawing meaningful conclusions.	
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	The section ' <b>research gaps</b> ' presents a compelling case for the need for further investigation into the use of short films for menstrual health education. The manuscript effectively highlights the lack of studies focusing specifically on this medium in the Indian context, particularly in rural areas where access to health education is limited. However, the manuscript could benefit from more specific examples of existing research in related fields to strengthen the justification for this approach.	
	Furthermore, expanding on the potential impact of such studies on public health interventions would enhance the overall significance of the research gaps identified. Overall, the conclusion succinctly reiterates the necessity for more focused research, making a strong case for the proposed study's relevance and importance in contributing to menstrual health awareness.	
	The Authors could benefit from more detailed descriptions of the validation criteria used by the experts for both the tool and the films.	
	The discussion of the social stigma surrounding menstruation and its impact on awareness and practices is well-articulated, providing a strong rationale for the research.	
	However, while the conclusion is comprehensive, it could benefit from reiterating the most significant outcomes related to knowledge gain and behavior change and enhance clarity.	
	Lastly, it would be helpful to briefly mention the implications of these findings for public health policy and educational programming.	
Are the references sufficient and recent? If you		
have suggestions of additional references, please		
mention them in the review form.		
Minor REVISION comments	Yes the language of the article is suitable for communication, but a review by the authors is recommended	
Is the language/English quality of the article	to improve several areas where clarity, grammar, and syntax can be improved like:	
suitable for scholarly communications?	Verb Tense Consistency: The article frequently shifts between past and present tense, which can confuse	
	the reader. For example, "The study concludes that the selected short films was effective" should be "The	
	study concludes that the selected short films were effective ". Maintaining consistent verb tense will	
	improve readability.	
	The short films were found effective in terms of storyline, character development, dialogue delivery, and	
	language.	
	Besides, there are some minor punctuation errors, such as missing commas and incorrect use of	
	conjunctions.	
	The authors should consider Word Choice: Phrases like "gain high knowledge" and "gain more knowledge"	
	could be refined to "acquired substantial knowledge" or "increased their knowledge."	
Optional/General comments		



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#### PART 2:

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