



SDI FINAL EVALUATION FORM 1.1

PART 1:

Journal Name:	Asian Hematology Research Journal
Manuscript Number:	Ms_AHRJ_41398
Title of the Manuscript:	Evaluation of von Willebrand Factor levels In Sickle Cell Patients Attending Babcock University Teaching Hospital
Type of Article:	Original Research Article

PART 2:

FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to final evaluator's comments
Following points have not been corrected by authors. - review your table title. For example in table 4 authors said: <i>comparisons of mean values of analyzed parameters between the crisis state and steady state using t-test</i>. Remove the statistical analysis test and put it as legend below the table. Precise the statistical analysis at the bottom of each table - Authors should bring statistical analysis statement immediately after methods. - The authors should give the units of the different parameters in the results section as well as an appropriate legend. - Read carefully the entire manuscript and give spaces between words. Example: abstract session. Authors said: fifty (50) subjects instead of fifty (50)subjects -How do authors found the population size? Should be mentioned in the text -All the tables should be harmonized. Authors wrote: table 1, table II, table III. Please harmonize the writing - Authors stated that <i>Patients who received blood 66 transfusion less than 6 weeks before the time of sampling were excluded</i>. Were they included and then excluded (exclusion criteria) or were not included at all (non inclusion criteria).	Table IV comparisons of mean values of analyzed parameters between the crisis state and steady state Test used under the table Eg :MCV (fl) other units inserted Corrected The sample size for the study was calculated using the following formula ^[7,8]: $n = Z^2 \times P \frac{(1-P)}{d^2}$ where n = minimum sample size, Z = standard normal variance = 1.96 at a 95% confidence interval, d = absolute SE = 0.05, and p = prevalence of SCD = 8.2%. Table I,II,III,IV Patients who received blood transfusion less than 6 weeks ago were excluded.