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## **PART 1:** Review Comments

Introduction   The author should start with   - defining definition of contraceptives and its important to health well being   - show in bird to the reader the status on the use of contraception at world level, in contraceptives preferred   - line 26 in missing reference   - line 30 - 31 show in fluores to support the argument of low and high on the use of the contraceptives preferred   - line 26 in missing reference   - line 30 - 31 show in figures to support the argument of low and high on the use of the contraceptives   - Factors that lead to low use of contraceptives - are the contraceptive to their prevalence available at the right time, what about side effects?   The start of the contraceptive in the contr		Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
Failure to specify the type of contraceptives has led some questions not to answered  ✓ like contraceptive that have dual role HIV and STI protection as well as both control methods  ✓ Who were the users and of which type of contraceptive  ✓ Author show the possible reasons why knowledge of contraceptives and contraception among adolescents in developing countries of the world is proportionately low compared to adolescents in developed countries of the world  Conclusion  - The conclusion is weak need to strengthened	Compulsory REVISION comments	The author should start with  defining definition of contraception type contraceptives and its important to health well being  show in brief to the reader the status on the use of contraception at world level, in developing countries, south of the Sahara and specific in Nigeria and the contraceptives preferred  Line 26 is missing reference  Line 30 -31 show in figures to support the argument of low and high on the use of the contraceptives  Factors that lead to low use of contraceptives- are the contraceptives to their prevalence available at the right time, what about side effects?  The authors seems to think that the cause of maternal morbidity and mortality is due to failure use birth control but there are other factors that account to maternal morbidity and mortality  The authors should explain why pregnancy complication is severe to young girls than to old women  The authors do not show how knowledge on contraceptive will be measured – show criteria that will used to measure knowledge of an individual on the contraceptive  Methodology  needs to be re- written  Details are required for description of the study area,  whey chose that study are and not other area  sampling method and how the data were collected are well explicit	TIISTITE TEEGLISTIC TIETE
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	Optional/General comments	Is a good paper but needs improved	

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