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PART 1: Review Comments

	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)
Compulsory REVISION comments	The statement in Abstract, background that deaths due to HIV is increasing in Sub-Saharian Africa is not true. It is decreasing due to more at treatment. Methods:I don't think it could be regarded as a good knowledge about HIV if answering only 50 % of the questions correct. I recommend a higher level for good knowledge on around 80%. Results in Abstract: Specify more clear which groups that have better knowledge: married, secondary level of education and employed and that no significant effect of age was noted. You can discuss more the routes of transmission with low knowledge among the women. Did only 8 persons answer the question in table 6 compared to all 400 the question in table 5 ? The number of references (11) are quite few and more could	Should write higher recuback here)
Minor REVISION comments	be added and discussed. There are several spelling mistakes which can be corrected by the automatic function in MS Word.	
Optional/General comments	Mostly confirming results seen in other studies.	

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