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Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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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)
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments	This paper is interesting for readers, especially haematologists researching HIV. 1) In the phosphorus, females with HIV are different level rather than normal ones different from males. Why is the reason? 2) How about the number of CD4(+) in such females? 3) Do such females show some special clinical symptoms?	All the corrections are highlighted in yellow colour in the text: - We added a sentence to explain the reason of this difference (See line 111 to 117, new version of the manuscript) - We have inserted Table 3 to explain the level of TCD4+ in both sexes according to the concentrations of phosphorus, calcium, vitaminD (Page 7, new version of the manuscript) - No, this was not reported by the physicians of the monitoring centers In addition, the laboratory testing (hematology, transaminase-ALT/AST, creatinine, blood glucose) for monitoring HIV-Infected patients after initiation of antiretroviral therapy supported by the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria in Côte d'Ivoire never included phosphorus and calcium tests. If these tests are requested by the physicians they are not free of charge.
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments	1) If possible, please divide the results of males from those of females?	- Thank you, This remark is taken into account in Tables 1, 3a and 3b (Pages 6 and 7, new version of the manuscript)
<u>Optional/General</u> comments	This paper needs to be improved.	