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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 <i>(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)</i>
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments		
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments	Prospective study based on a satisfactory number of screened children. The questionnaires may be included to the paper. Some graphics will illustrate better the study. An weak point is the different education level of mothers/parents who fulfilled the questionnaires.	The questionnaire is in native language. It won't be of any value to international reviewers. Creating new graphics will be a double work, as everything is clear enough in the tables. Moreover, it will be double work on the authors' part, which is not a problem, but confusing and double display for the same results on the reviewers' part. Third, it will elongate much the paper size, especially after whole three new sections have been added to the paper to meet all reviewers' requirements. The different education level of the parent couples addresses actual demographic and educational pattern of the study district's population. Nothing could be done to change this characteristic. Manipulating the sampling process so that the educational levels of each couple of parents becomes close or equal will be frank selecting bias and make the findings invalid and non-generalizable.
<u>Optional/General</u> comments		