



SDI FINAL EVALUATION FORM 1.1

PART 1:

Journal Name:	International Journal of TROPICAL DISEASE & Health
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Title of the Manuscript:	Temporal Variation of lipids in patients with uncomplicated malaria due to Plasmodium falciparum
Type of Article:	Review paper

PART 2:

FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to final evaluator's comments
There is lot of confusion regarding the values of total cholesterol level in control as well as malaria patients. Author has mentioned - "In fact, the total cholesterol and HDL-c levels remained significantly lower than to the healthy controls on Day 43". But If we compare the data exhibited in Fig. 1 &2 – the total cholesterol level in control is approximately ~120 whereas in malaria patient it is ~150 on day 43 so how it is significantly high. In fig1 174 mg/dl (total cholesterol) level is of malaria patient and not of healthy controls as mentioned in line 108 &109. Similarly 46.3 mg/dl HDL-c, 112 mg/dl LDL-c and 122mg/dl TGL are of malaria patient's value and not of healthy control. There is contradiction in the values mentioned in the text and shown in Fig1.	We apologize for the mistake in the legend of figure. The correct legend is: Figure 1. Lipid levels in patients with uncomplicated falciparum (□) malaria at enrollment in the study (D0) and in the control group (■). The black symbol refers to the control group.