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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	I hope that this is the first study done in Saudi Arabia (or at least done in a big city of K.S.A), because the results of herein investigation are so interesting since S.A is the biggest country in the Middle Eastern region in point of view surface and population.	I think that is the first study for all household poisoning in KSA. I searched about it.
Minor REVISION comments	Abstract -change "reasons" to "reason" in the following sentence : "It was found that the main reasons of poisoning was the lack of knowledge". Introduction -write citation in the same level of words in lines as follows [1]. -what does "GI" mean in the fourth paragraph of page 3 ? -change "The" by "the" in the following sentence "which The storage of cleaning products in inadequate places" (5th paragraph of page 3). - in the first paragraph of page 4, change "cause him some injuries" to "cause to it some injuries" or very simply "cause some injuries" - in the first paragraph of page 4, remove "And that " in the following sentence "And that most cases of poisoning are located in rural areas" - Introduction is so long , it should be shortened. It contains many statistics which some can be retained and others should be removed. It contains also some repeated ideas such as "Several reports that about five million cases of pesticide poisoning occur every year, resulting in several thousands of fatalities, including children", and "Pesticide poisoning has been recognized as an important public health issue around the world". The whole paragraph concerning aims of the study can be joined to introduction by removing the underling sentence aims of the work. Results -Save either table 2 or figure 1 of page 9 because they containing the same	OK OK GI means gastrointestinal Ok Ok Ok Ok Ok Ok

	ideas.	
	-Save either table 3 or figure 2 of page 10 because they containing the same ideas. If authors decide to save figure 2, in this case they should add percentage values of each section in the figure.	Ok
	- -Save either table 7 or figure 3 of page 13 because they containing the same ideas.	Ok
	- in table 8, what do authors mean by "others" concerning	Ok
	* proper way of storing the food	
	* Wash and soak the vegetables before eat (in which a big percentage was notified 67.85 %).	Ok
	I see now the idea : "*leave these things to the person concerned ** washed only", this should replaced under table 8 to avoid confusion for readers where I was put.	Ok
	-In figure 4, what does "others" refer to?	Refer to (according to type of food)
	In page 15, change according to table 9 "followed by the age group 6-12 years" by "followed by the age group 12-18 years"	Ok
	-In page 16, change "1 st " by "first" in the following sentence:" The tendency to treat the poisoned person as 1st aid".	Ok
	-In figure 6 and 7, authors should add percentage values of each section in these figures and change "no thing" by ".nothing" in figure 6.	Ok
	- in page 17, change the following sentence "The 2nd main reason was its accessibility was reported in (27.49%) of respondents" to "The second main reason which was its accessibility was reported in (27.49%) of respondents" Authors could add statistical tests for the different presented results.	Ok
	Discussion	
	What does "tenth" mean in the 2 nd paragraph of page 18?	It means 1/10
	The 2 first paragraphs of discussion should be reformulated such saying that our results joined those (or didn't join those) of Al-Nahedh and Mohammed investigation [23] reporting that ..."	Ok
	In the 3 rd paragraph of page 18, change the following sentence "The 2nd main reason was its accessibility was reported in (27.49%)" to "The 2nd main reason was its accessibility which was reported in (27.49%) "	Ok
	In page 18 (last paragraph), change "This results agreed with" by "these results agreed with"	Ok
	In page 21, write names of bacteria in italic such as <i>Salmonella</i> and	Ok



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	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> Conclusion -To avoid repetition I suggest the following : "Assessment of the knowledge and attitude should be done again after conducting these educational sessions and awareness campaigns in order to estimate the role of such measures and to decide either on keeping it or to move to other actions." -change "situations" to "situation" in the first paragraph of page 23. References Write names of journals in abbreviations.	Ok Ok Ok
<u>Optional/General</u> comments		