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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	First of all the study is retrospective, but just like the authors say, it is mandatory to have a base line of SSI in the Hospital of Sokoto-Nigeria. It seems to be just a data collection, without any selected risk factor for the patient or proposal to improve something to reduce the high level of SSI. It could be useful to record the hand wash (if yes or not before the approaching the patients), or the antibiotics prophylaxis, and so on, because of the great prevalence of Gram+ infections (they mostly are exogenous)	Thank you for your honest review. Data on hand washing was not available in the medical records department of the hospital. Data on the use of prophylaxis was also not available at the time of this study.
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments	Bibliography includes a lot of references related to caesarean operations	Will work on it.
<u>Optional/General</u> comments	The scientific level is not very high	Before this study, literature on SSI in the hospital and in Sokoto was not available. Hence the attempt to gather as much data as we could find in this respect.