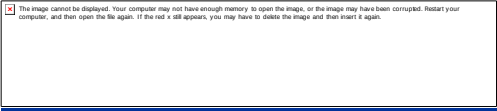


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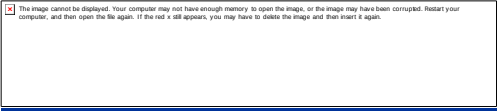
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PART 1: Review comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (If agreed with the reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight this part of the manuscript. Authors should write their comments here)
Is the manuscript important to the scientific community? Please write a few sentences explaining your answer	I find it very important for the scientific community as a whole given its relevance.	
Is the title of the article appropriate? Do you have an alternative title in mind?	I would suggest this title: Clinical characteristic; paraclinical and therapeutic treatment of Equarian patients with neurological opportunistic infections associated with HIV/AIDS. I propose this title because the one presented dissociates AIDS and CNS infections while these neurological infections are due to HIV immunosuppression.	
Is the article summary complete? If your answer is no, please provide suggestions	Yes ; it is complete but there are points to clarify: - At the introduction of the summary; that is the objective and not the goal. - At the conclusion of the summary or the entire essay is in parallel with the objective pursued and the results found. The other reviewers may be able to say more; but I think that no part in the writing was the prevalence calculated or even in the method used. I would rather propose to direct the conclusion on how the clinic presents itself (the dominant pathology of opportunistic infections of the CNS and the therapy of patients living with HIV hospitalized in this hospital. -	
Do you think the English quality of the article is suitable for scientific communication? If your answer is no, please provide suggestions	Yes, the language is perfect!	
Please provide your comments regarding relevance of the different sections of the manuscript.	The relevance of the different sections: - At the introduction, my comments are above! - Materials and methods: I suggest writing methods quite simply. Because some equipment is listed in this section. - Results: in this section; It seems to me that the results are presented in a jumble, they are not circumscribed. According to the objectives pursued; the following specific objectives must emerge in chronological order, that is to say the data must be presented in the following manner: * sociodemographic data, * clinical, paraclinical and therapeutic data. - Discussion: it must follow the same chronological logic of the results. - In table 1: in the title of the table let us rather talk about the characteristicssocialdemographics... and not only demographics because in the table it is the socio-demographic data that is used. - in table 5: second line on the hospitalization stay, the average is calculated in days instead of weeks. To harmonize the units; I suggest that the averages be calculated by week and not by day for the hospitalization stay.	
Do you think the references in the manuscript are correct, recent and sufficient? If you have any suggestions, please write here.	Yes ; the references seem accurate to me!	



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Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	<i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i>	

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