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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Thanks for recommending me as a reviewer. This study aimed to describe the patterns and characteristics of persistent smell and taste disorders in Egyptian patients. In this paper, the course of small and taste disorders are supportive of the nasal and oral neuronal compromise. Post-covid-19 taste and trigeminal disorders were less frequent compared to smell disorders. Post-covid-19 flavor disorders were solely dependent on taste and not smell disorders. There were no demographics, clinical variables at onset or specific profile of these disorders in children compared to adults.

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Dear authors, Congratulations for your work titled "Evaluation of children and adults with post-covid-19 persistent smell, taste and trigeminal chemosensory disorders: A Hospital based study". The manuscript is very well drafted. The scientific relevance of study is good. Statistics were ok. Results are very well elaborated. Discussion is too lengthy and strengths & limitations were mentioned at the end. Overall a very good manuscript and can be acceptable in the current form.