

Dear editor in chief WJBC

At first, on behalf of other authors and as corresponding author, I like to say my thanks for the valuable comments of respect reviewers which can increases the quality of this paper (No55940).

The title of our article is: **Prevalence, serotyping and drug susceptibility patterns of *Escherichia coli* among kidney transplanted patients with urinary tract infections: A multi-center study in Tehran, Iran.**

In continue; please find our reply to each reviewers comments bellow:

Based on the comment 5 and science editor comment, special requirements PMID and DOI number was added to each reference.

All references are cited by Arabic numbers and are put in square brackets as superscripts in the text.

Comment 6 and science editor comment; article's highlights were added (green highlight).

Comment7; ethical approve number is included.

Comment8; grant number is included.

Based on the comment of science editor; all references were updated and are (green) highlighted, STROBE checklist number revised after paper revision. The acceptance letter of this research proposal in the research committee of medical school, Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences (SBMU) by research deputy was added. Also, demographic data (sex and age data) were added to results. Based on the respect reviewer's comment it is emphasized on the all susceptibility of *E. coli* isolates and highlighted (green), in the results of AST.

Best regards

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