



**PEER-REVIEW REPORT**

**Name of journal:** World Journal of Psychiatry

**Manuscript NO:** 61653

**Title:** Rapid Commentary: Ethical implications for Clinical Trialists and Patients associated with Covid-19 research

**Reviewer’s code:** 04623475

**Position:** Peer Reviewer

**Academic degree:** MD

**Professional title:** Academic Research, Research Associate, Surgeon

**Reviewer’s Country/Territory:** Italy

**Author’s Country/Territory:** United Kingdom

**Manuscript submission date:** 2020-12-15

**Reviewer chosen by:** AI Technique

**Reviewer accepted review:** 2020-12-15 14:01

**Reviewer performed review:** 2020-12-18 18:58

**Review time:** 3 Days and 4 Hours

<b>Scientific quality</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Do not publish
<b>Language quality</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection
<b>Conclusion</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept (High priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Accept (General priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Minor revision <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Major revision <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
<b>Re-review</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Peer-reviewer statements</b>	Peer-Review: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anonymous <input type="checkbox"/> Onymous Conflicts-of-Interest: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No



**Baishideng  
Publishing  
Group**

7041 Koll Center Parkway, Suite  
160, Pleasanton, CA 94566, USA  
**Telephone:** +1-925-399-1568  
**E-mail:** bpgoffice@wjgnet.com  
**https://**[www.wjgnet.com](http://www.wjgnet.com)

#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

This is an interesting editorial regarding Ethical implications for Covid-19 research. The topic is very promising and highlights some very important aspects of the research. I have the following suggestions: The title should be shortened, avoiding redundancies.

What do the authors think about surgical studies? No consideration was made regarding specific informed consent and inherent ethical problems. What are the inherent and specific considerations that link the article to this journal where it was submitted?? Quality of life, repercussions etc.



**RE-REVIEW REPORT OF REVISED MANUSCRIPT**

**Name of journal:** World Journal of Psychiatry

**Manuscript NO:** 61653

**Title:** Rapid Commentary: Ethical implications for Clinical Trialists and Patients associated with Covid-19 research

**Reviewer’s code:** 04623475

**Position:** Peer Reviewer

**Academic degree:** MD

**Professional title:** Academic Research, Research Associate, Surgeon

**Reviewer’s Country/Territory:** Italy

**Author’s Country/Territory:** United Kingdom

**Manuscript submission date:** 2020-12-15

**Reviewer chosen by:** Jia-Ru Fan

**Reviewer accepted review:** 2021-01-29 21:44

**Reviewer performed review:** 2021-01-29 21:49

**Review time:** 1 Hour

<b>Scientific quality</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Do not publish
<b>Language quality</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection
<b>Conclusion</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept (High priority) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accept (General priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Minor revision <input type="checkbox"/> Major revision <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
<b>Peer-reviewer statements</b>	Peer-Review: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anonymous <input type="checkbox"/> Onymous Conflicts-of-Interest: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

**SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**



**Baishideng  
Publishing  
Group**

7041 Koll Center Parkway, Suite  
160, Pleasanton, CA 94566, USA  
**Telephone:** +1-925-399-1568  
**E-mail:** [bpgoffice@wjgnet.com](mailto:bpgoffice@wjgnet.com)  
**https://**[www.wjgnet.com](http://www.wjgnet.com)

I'm satisfied with the changes made