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PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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for reduced duration, in surgical prophylaxis of primary hip and knee arthroplasty.

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Scientific quality	Good
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Conclusion	 [] Accept (High priority) [Y] Accept (General priority) [] Minor revision [] Major revision [] Rejection
Re-review	[]Yes [Y]No
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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The work carried out by Okoro et al assesses the effectiveness of a new regime of prophylactic antibiotic usage in patients undergoing PHA/PKA surgeries. In the new regime, where fewer antibiotic dosage that has been weight-adjusted produced marginally better results in comparison to the older practice of a greater number of antibiotic doses administered post-surgery. Overall, the work has been designed and executed using all the relevant statistical methods. Moreover, the study corroborates the idea that judicious use of antibiotics in the clinic can restrict the development of antibiotic resistance. I do not have any specific comments for the authors.