

Reviewer 1:

Specific Comments to Authors: This is an interesting paper, but there are a lot of errors in grammar or punctuation. English editing is necessary. For example, Introduction and Epidemiology:..... (95% UI 107 000–130 000), these descriptions should be written in a formal style, such as “(95% UI, 107,000 to 130,000)”

Ans: Comprehensive editing done to check for any errors in grammar or punctuation.

Reviewer 2:

Specific Comments to Authors: congratulation for your work! it is very interesting and well documenting the theme of the manuscript is of major impact! As a surgeon specialist, I would be interested if there is a reconstruction programme after breast surgery available in India

Ans: Added a paragraph on reconstruction programme after breast cancer surgeries on page 5, line 12 to 17.

Science Editor:

(1) The “Author Contributions” section is missing. Please provide the author contribution.

Ans: Added

(2) Some PMID and DOI numbers are missing in the reference list. Please provide the PubMed numbers and DOI citation numbers to the reference list and list all authors of the references.

Ans: Added

(3) The “Article Highlights” section is missing. Please add the “Article Highlights” section at the end of the main text.

Ans: Added