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Journal Name:	Asian Journal of Research in Medical and Pharmaceutical Sciences
Manuscript Number:	Ms_AJRIMPS_126436
Title of the Manuscript:	Affordability, Accessibility, and Utilisation of Antimalarial Drugs in Nigeria's Niger Delta: Emphasis on Artemisinin Combination Therapy (ACT)
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	Yes, however instead of “Cost-Effectiveness” the author could use “affordability”	Title adjusted accordingly
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PART 2:

	Reviewer’s comment	Author’s comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
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