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Journal Name:	Asian Research Journal of Arts & Social Sciences
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Title of the Manuscript:	Personality traits as predictors of substance abuse among youths in Lagos State.
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PART 1: Comments

	Reviewer’s comment	Author’s Feedback <i>(Please correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)</i>
Please write a few sentences regarding the importance of this manuscript for the scientific community. A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.	While this manuscript does not introduce novel theories and primarily tests already known concepts that are not very promising in terms of mitigating the drug abuse issues, it still holds significant value for the scientific community. By confirming existing theories through new data or different context, it contributes to the ongoing validation and refinement of established ideas.	
Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	“Acceptable” But it gives the impression that we finally found a strong modifiable risk factor that intervention models can be built upon while the problem is much more complex to be approached by targeting individual “personality.” “Contributing factor” or related term instead of “predictor” would be proportional to the weight of the risk factor  “Personality traits as contributing factors to substance abuse among youths in Lagos State”	Title revised
Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? Do you suggest the addition (or deletion) of some points in this section? Please write your suggestions here.	It is comprehensive. However, the author should recheck if “personality traits” are the same as “psychological factors” because they appear different according to me.	Ok
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