

Review Form 1.6

Journal Name:	Asian Journal of Pediatric Research
Manuscript Number:	Ms_AJPR_88184
Title of the Manuscript:	Weekly iron supplementation in 2-year-olds is effective in combating anemia
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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PART 1: Review Comments

	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)
Compulsory REVISION comments		
Minor REVISION comments	To describe how quality assurance for Hemoglobin determination was carried out through out the study.	Information provided in the data collection paragraph. We would also like to point out that only two collections were made due to the age of participants and Research Ethics Committee gruidelines.
Optional/General comments	Study design should include (i) exclusion of blood related participants (ii) exclusion of known history of thalassemia traits and hemoglobinopathies Discussion should include weakness and strength of the study for the conclusive remarks.	Blood related participants were not excluded, and no children presented a known history of thalassemia traits and hemoglobinopathies. A paragraph on the potential weaknesses to this study has been added at the end of the discussion section.

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)
Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)	