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Compulsory REVISION comments Data analysis	Data analysis is missing. Besides mentioning SPSS, you should say how you analysed you data. SPSS is a package, specify the statistic that you used. For example, Chi square, students' t test ANOVA etc	This has been corrected in the methodology section
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Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details) The author can mention the benefits of the study to the participants in one sentence	Benefits were included as the hospital community were given a seminar on Zika and other haemorrhagic viral infections