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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	<p>The private sector in Colombo District reported caesarean section rate of all most double that of the national rate (41.9% vs. 76.5%, p<0.001).</p> <p>This statement is incorrect. Should read as (76.5% vs 41.9%). This has to be corrected in the results, abstract and in the discussion section</p> <p>In the multivariate analysis to mention as AOR</p>	
Minor REVISION comments	Spelling mistakes and grammar mistakes to be corrected	
Optional/General comments	Another limitation could be that due to the COVID 19 pandemic there would have been more CS done in the private sector.	

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)	

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