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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)
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments	<p>Why a pilot study? A pilot study is a biological is a small scale preliminary study to evaluate feasibility and cost before a full fleshed study. This study fits a biological process that is well known and for which published information has existed for more than 20 years.</p> <p>Abstract ALP first use is always written in full. ALP Alkaline Phosphatase.</p> <p>Materials and methods complete sentence of group II subjects after onset of menopause. Serum ... new sentence and ALP were estimated,</p> <p>Introduction Osteocalcin OC is a non-collagenous protein hormone.</p> <p>The marker is needed to detect the rapid loss of the bone tissue.</p> <p>A study by Yasim et al found increased serum levels of uc-oc in peripausal women.</p> <p>There was no association between L1-L4 spine BMD.</p> <p>Results and discussion P value is either significant or non significant NEVER SATISFACTORY.</p> <p>Conclusion study got positive outcome which encourages and supports proceeding To a full fleshed study.</p> <p>References (n=17)</p> <p>9-15 yrs=4</p> <p>16-25yrs=8</p> <p>26-31yrs=5</p> <p>Reference Manologas sc (2020) osteocalcin promotes bone mineralization but it is not a hormone. PLOS Genet. 16(6):e1008714</p>	
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Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)	

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