

Editor's Comment:

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The aim of the authors of this review was to report on the current situation in terms of the prevalence, mortality, diagnosis and treatment of SCD among countries in East Africa; Uganda, Kenya, Tanzania, Rwanda sickle cell anemia (SCD), which is one of the most common life-threatening diseases affecting millions of people around the world. Despite the fatal risks and high incidence of SCD, little attention is paid to financing, management and supervision, especially among East African countries. In addition, the authors enclose a table stating that there are few literary works, and less has been documented about this disease. The authors point out that East Africa is in a highly endemic region, but less is known about the disease due to the scarce literature. Since SCD is indeed a public health problem in many countries, all the studies that enrich the data to improve this situation are of great importance. It is necessary to agree and support the authors in the need for additional research, as this will serve as a starting point for action against SCD, as well as more efficiently diagnose and treat young children, improving the quality of life of patients with SCD. I think that the manuscript is well executed and ready to be published.

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