Editor's Comment:

The title should specify the location of the study as "Antibiotic sensitivity profiles of Salmonella typhimurium and E. coli O157: H7 isolates from ready to eat chicken meat in Ibadan-Nigeria".

Summary: specify the country. What is Ibadan? If it's a city, please quote the country. Among the keywords you can add Ibadan.

Introduction: The authors should provide us with information on the nutritional value of chicken meat before addressing the safety aspect.

Methods: the method is well developed but does not have many references.

Results: alternate tables with figures. There is too much table and no figure.

Discussion: the discussion is focused around antimicrobial resistance. Authors should talk a little about the identification of germs sought. Is E. coli and Salmonella typhimurium were isolated from chicken meat in other studies? What was the prevalence compared to this study?

Finally, the authors should consider the comments of the evaluators. Names (species and genera) are always italicized. But this was not respected especially in the list of references.

References: There are many studies on antimicrobial resistance. Authors should add recent and new references 2015, 2017, 2017 ....

For a good visibility, it is necessary to respect the instruction to the authors.

DECISION

The manuscript can be accepted after revision. Then you need also reassurance about the ethical aspects.

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