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Journal Name:	<a href="#">International Journal of Pathogen Research</a>
Manuscript Number:	Ms_IJPR_47609
Title of the Manuscript:	Incidence of Ascariasis among Primary School Pupils in two Communities of Kebbi State, Nigeria
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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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)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments	In the title of the article the authors refer to a study that aims to determine the "incidence" of Ascaris infection; however, they then refer to "prevalence". As a whole, the paper provides little information about the epidemiological importance of ascariidiosis in the studied region. The parasitological technique used for the examination of the faecal samples does not allow the evaluation of the intensity of infection, which would be possible if the method employed allowed to quantify the number of Ascaris eggs eliminated per gram of faecal material, as described by Kato et al. and modified by Katz et al. (Kato-Katz method).	
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments		
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<b>Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?</b>	<i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i>	

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