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Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_BJMMR_20616</b>
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Type of the Article	<b>Short Research Article</b>

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**PART 1: Review Comments**

	<b>Reviewer's comment</b>	<b>Author's comment</b> (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	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Why <i>pseudomonas</i> didn't appear in title and key words, whereas it is part of the work?</li> <li>2) Lines 37-42 " this study...till tests" shouldn't be mentioned under <u>the purpose of the study</u>.</li> <li>3) Why <u>E Coli</u> was included as quality control strain (line 68), and it is not part of the study?</li> <li>4) Considering <u>gender</u>: the data mentioned in lines 113 - 115 are the opposite of line 179. Additionally, the gender distribution for this study (50% males and 50% females in lines 128-129) is different than that mentioned in table 1 (second and third columns).</li> <li>5) The results of <u>statistical tests</u> (e.g. p value of ANOVA, and correlation coefficient of correlation tests) are shown in the abstract, and not shown within <u>tables</u> !!!</li> <li>6) <u>Table 1</u>; the columns of intramurals and MSSA per phone type should be deleted, and their details can be transferred to the results'</li> </ol>	



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	<p>section. Also, it is better to include a new table to compare the results of intramurals with those of non-intramurals.</p> <p>7) <u>Figure 1</u>; is a repetition of column 5, table 2.</p> <p>Figure 2 (last column), and lines 122, 186 show that the results of pseudomonas were negative. So, why the authors performed subculture for colonies grown on cetrimide plates (lines 66, 67)?</p>	
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<p><b>Minor</b> REVISION comments</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1) <u>Abstract</u>: the place and duration of the study should be merged with the study design.</li><li>2) <u>Key words</u>: no abbreviations should be mentioned (e.g.MRSA). Also, write methicillin-resistant, mobile –phones (not every word alone, and add <i>Pseudomonas</i>.</li><li>3) Many <u>grammar</u> mistakes: e.g. <b>an</b> individual and, <b>their...</b> ( line 33). Also, how <b>A</b> single sterile swab was used to swab many areas ... the subjects cell phone ...cheek, and the outer... (Line 52).</li><li>4) Many <u>repetitions</u>: e.g. Lines 45 and 202 (about ethical approval); lines 73 and 136 (about statistical analysis). Also, the words discussion (lines 147, 163, 185), in summary (line 191), In conclusion (line 196).</li><li>5) Line 78 “culture results” should be deleted as it is not a proper title of the paragraph (lines 79 – 83).</li><li>6) References:<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>a) The page number of each reference should be rechecked (especially ref. 2, ref.</li></ol></li></ol>	
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	<p>8).</p> <p>b) Each reference mentioned in lines, 165 , 166 and 180 should has a square bracket beside it with a number indicting its order.</p> <p>C) Ref. 9: the words accessed... till available should be deleted.</p>	
<b><u>Optional/General</u></b> comments	The manuscript is very distracting and not focused.	

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