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Reviewer- A

Decision: **Major revisions required**

The study "*Legal Protection to Children against Domestic Violence in the Urban Community of Indonesia during COVID-19 Pandemic*" is in accordance with the scope of the journal. However, if addressed by the authors, I have some concerns that will make this study a valuable contribution to the body of literature.

Introduction:

The introduction is well written, with problem identification and justification for the study. However, arguments are not built to support the research objectives, which need to be considered to clearly understand the study constructs. Also, many claims throughout the manuscript are not supported by source/ reference.

Few instances,

Page 1 *Generally, negligence of parenting results exposing children to domestic abuse and public violence, which amounts to violating children's rights. According to British Human Rights Act (1998), children have the right to family life and the right to be free from abuse*

Page 2 *Data on violence against children from the United Nations (UNICEF) shows that about 6 out of 10 children worldwide aged 2 to 14 years, experience corporal punishment, 7 out of 10 victims of child abuse, experienced psychological aggression by caregivers*

I suggest authors should avoid such claims without references. Moreover, the introduction part is very scattered. A systematic flow of information regarding the research gap and research problem as to how it emerged from prior research in this field is missing.

Literature Review:

The literature review needs to be clearly written and should be the latest. Approximately 58/80 citations are from 2015 or before, and more than 60% are before 2010. In contrast, the violence concept has been given much attention in recent years, which the authors rarely cite. This shows minimum exposure of authors to the latest work of many renowned scholars. Likewise, to the introduction in literature, there are many claims/statements/paragraphs without reference, i.e.,

Page 4: *According to a recent review, the most effective program in reducing domestic violence against a child is the one that involves community mobilization and economic empowerment paired with gender equality training*

Methods

There is a need to elaborate the research methodology in detail along with the participant information and the study's mode. It is also good that the authors explain how data was analyzed.

Results and Discussion :

Again in the discussion, the authors made too many claims without literature support, The authors should divide the discussion part with

- 1- Findings, explaining them based on stated results, literature support, and practical and contextual justifications.
- 2- Theoretical contribution/implications
- 3- Practical contribution/implications
- 4- Limitations and Future Directions

Conclusion

The conclusion section also must be added by the authors at the end as a summary of the complete manuscript

References

Authors should double-check their citations and match them with the end text references. Moreover, there is a need to follow the APA 7th edition to record all the references in this study.

Reviewer -B

Decision: **Major revisions required**

I tried to give detailed comments regarding each part of the manuscript, which may be helpful to the authors to improve their paper.

1. The start of the paper is good. However, too much detail in the introduction makes it boring and overworded. Rather than focusing on the gap and discussing the reason for proposing the model and justifying the proposed associations, the author/authors primarily focused too much on explaining violence, etc. The detail that how can this study advance our knowledge in this area? is missing. Moreover, the authors have not properly utilized to devise the research gap to make the

manuscript more influential. The authors tried to present a gap, but the references are not updated, and the statement they are writing is already well explored, i.e.,

Page 2: *There are laws for children's right to family life without abuse and neglect, but in reality, most children who are abused in the United Kingdom, and other influential countries, including the United States and Australia, live in homes with only a single parent.*"

There is a need to present consolidated data regarding child abuse, i.e., physical and psychological, worldwide to bring clarity to the issue.

2. The introduction and literature review needs to be much more clearly written. The ideas are there, but they need to be explained further, and the ideas need to be more clearly linked together. An in-depth literature review is required to build a hypothesis with a clear understanding of the main concepts. Most of the references are from 2010 or before; only a couple of 2018 to 2022 studies are referred by the authors. In contrast, there are a lot many studies available regarding the area from 2019-to 2022, which the authors overlook. I suggest authors dig deep into the latest literature to add something valuable to the existing body of literature.

There are many statements and claims and paragraphs without references/citations. For instance.

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Page 4: *some perinatal home visiting programs, such as the nurse and family partnership, and early childhood care programs have been shown to prevent or reduce certain forms of violence against children such as physical abuse and neglect.*

I must say there is a dire need to read the latest literature and support the arguments in hypothesis building.

3. There is a need to explain how the instrument was developed. How many respondents participated in the study? And which research methodology was employed?
4. The results of the study are well presented. However, there is a need to elaborate on the discussion section. The discussion section is merged with the research results. There is a need to discuss the study results in detail, clearly stating the significance of the results and their applicability per the study context in light of existing studies. There is also a need to identify potential future research areas.
5. A brief conclusion should be added to summarize the whole research with implications and recommendations.
6. There are many grammatical issues in the articles. Authors are especially confused about where to use and where not to use "articles" and commas, singular or plural, which needs to be fixed to make the manuscript more influential.



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1.	<p>The introduction is well written, with problem identification and justification for the study. However, arguments are not built to support the research objectives, which need to be considered to clearly understand the study constructs. Also, many claims throughout the manuscript are not supported by source/ reference.</p> <p>Few instances,</p> <p>Page 1 <i>Generally, negligence of parenting results exposing children to domestic abuse and public violence, which amounts to violating children's rights. According to British Human Rights Act (1998), children have the right to family life and the right to be free from abuse</i></p> <p>Page 2 <i>Data on violence against children from the United Nations (UNICEF) shows that about 6 out of 10 children worldwide aged 2 to 14 years, experience corporal punishment, 7 out of 10 victims of child abuse, experienced psychological aggression by caregivers</i></p> <p>I suggest authors should avoid such claims without references. Moreover, the introduction part is very scattered. A systematic flow of information regarding the research gap and research problem as to how it emerged from prior research in this field is missing.</p>	<p>Dear reviewer, I have revised the introduction by problem identification and building arguments on research objectives.</p> <p>I have also updated the citations and added missing references for the highlighted claims and throughout the manuscript</p> <p>Please see pages 1-3</p>
2.	<p>The literature review needs to be clearly written and should be the latest. Approximately 58/80 citations are from 2015 Or before, and more than 60% are before 2010. In contrast, the violence concept has been given much attention in recent years, which the authors rarely cite. This shows minimum exposure of authors to the latest work of many renowned scholars. Likewise, to the introduction in literature, there are many claims/statements/paragraphs without reference, i.e.,</p> <p>Page 4: <i>According to a recent review, the most effective program in reducing domestic violence against a child is the one that involves community mobilization and economic empowerment paired with gender equality training.</i></p>	<p>Dear reviewer, Many thanks for your kind suggestions and comments. I have now revised the literature review portion by digging deep into the existing literature and adding recent citations from 2020-2022 while benefiting from previous research findings in the study context.</p> <p>Following your kind guidelines, I have also updated missing references for the highlighted claims and throughout the manuscript</p> <p>please see pages 3- 4</p>
3	<p>There is a need to elaborate the research methodology in detail along with the participant information and the study's mode. It is also good that the authors explain how data was analyzed.</p>	<p>Dear reviewer, following your kind guidelines, I have now revised the methodology section with the participant information and the study's mode. Following your kind suggestions, I have also explained how data was analyzed.</p> <p>Please see pages 4-5</p>
4	<p>Again in the discussion, the authors made too many claims without literature support, The authors should divide the discussion part with</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1- Findings, explaining them based on stated results, literature support, and practical and contextual justifications. 2- Theoretical contribution/implications 3- Practical contribution/implications 	<p>Dear reviewer, many thanks for your kind guidelines. I have thoroughly revised the discussion section as per your kind suggestions. I have also added the literature support to check the arguments regarding various findings. I have also followed the sequences guided by your kind self to write the discussion part.</p>

		Please see pages 5-7
5	The conclusion section also must be added by the authors at the end as a summary of the complete manuscript	Dear reviewer, many thanks for your kind suggestion. I have added the conclusion section per your kind guidelines by focusing on findings and implications and providing a brief research summary. Please see page 7
6	Authors should double-check their citations and match them with the end text references. Moreover, there is a need to follow the APA 7th edition to record all the references in this study.	Dear reviewer, I have cross-checked all the citations and followed the APA 7th edition to record all the references in this study.

RESPONSE TO REVIEWER-B

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