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Reviewer 1

Page & Line	Reviewers' comments	Authors' revisions
Abstract	I explored other publications on a similar topic, which happened to be authored by the second author of this article, and I found almost similar lines as used in the background and other parts of the abstract. The article's title is appropriate. The abbreviation "NHI" was used without mentioning what it stands for in the abstract.	We rewrote the abstract to ensure that it will be minimal in a similar writing style to the previous studies written by our authors.
Introduction	Although I found this section to be a little wordy, I enjoyed reading the facts, which included the history of NHI in Indonesia. I'd like to make it more chronological and logical, such as that mentioned in page 3, lines 1–4, about the fixed insurance premium following presidential regulation issuance. I was curious about how insurance premiums were paid in past years since it says on another line (page 3, line 15) that the NHI was first put into place in 2014. Were the facts presented in lines 5 and 17 of page 3 similarly telling about more than 80% of citizens being covered by the NHI? Please revise lines 17–21, as the facts presented in these lines are confusing. There is no clear introductory explanation about what SSAA is or its role in the NHI. Whether these two are different entities.	<p>We rewrote the background in a more chronological and logical order.</p> <p>We explained how health financing before NHI, how NHI works, mentioned factors related to its participation, and then finally explained the role of education factor.</p> <p>SSAA is the national agency that manages the NHI. Commonly, the participants of NHI are also called SSAA participants. We revise the background by consistently using NHI participants.</p>
Material and methods	Is the poll mentioned in lines 18–19 and its results publicly available to access and to confirm their validity?	<p>We added the explanation as suggested</p> <p>The Ministry of Health does not publicly publish the data and final report on its website, but the public can access it based on request.</p>
Result and Discussion	The title is a bit misleading, as mostly the result and discussion talk about the predictor factors of NHI membership as a whole and not necessarily about the education factor per se. Overall, I have a sense that the paper has been written in proper academic style.	We changed the title as suggested

Reviewer 2

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	The paragraph on page 4 lines 8-13 should be revised to make it relevant to the research aims stated in the abstract.	We rewrote the background as suggested
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	a. In the paragraph dealing with the explanation about the data source (Page 4, lines 17-20), it should be clear: 1) where the data came from, whether from the survey conducted by the ministry of health or from a previous study, 2) is the data available for public (available online?) or restricted only for the investigators or could be accessed by the public with special permission? 3) the population of the survey (all provinces in Indonesia?) and the sampling technique should be explained.	Added in the section "Data Source"  1&2: Data availability: by request to the Ministry of Health  3: all provinces, using multistage and stratification
	b. The variables classification (Exposure and Control variables) should be fixed to match the research aim.	We revised the variables list as suggested
	c. The data used for mapping NHI membership should be stated clearly, is it using the same data (survey data) or not?	We added in the section "Data Analysis" as suggested  ..., using the same data, ...
Result		

	<p>a. The result from table 1. Especially from education level by type of respondent analysis should be interpreted carefully. If the respondent from rural areas proportion is greater than that from urban areas, the conclusion will be miss leading. If that is the case, then this variable should not be used or you need to be equalized the number of respondents and reanalyzed the data.</p> <p>b. The same case happened with the interpretation of Education level by Age Group analysis which should be done carefully. Respondents from the age group &lt;17 have near zero chance to be graduated from university.</p>	We revised the interpretation as suggested																												
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Conclusion	The conclusion should accommodate all the independent variables that significant in the logistic model.	We revised the conclusion as suggested



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Re: "National Health Insurance among the poor in Indonesia: Does education level matter?"

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Reviewer 2

Review Report for BMC Journal

Article:

National Health Insurance among the poor in Indonesia: Does education level matter?

Nuzulul Kusuma Putri<sup>1,2\*</sup>, Agung Dwi Laksono<sup>2,3</sup>, Nikmatur Rohmah<sup>4</sup>

The authors wrote an interesting paper. I find it well-written and with a good research idea.

Below are my suggestions.

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2. Abstract

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29 Desember 2022 pukul 14.37

Dear Dr. Kamalesh Kumar Patel,

I am sorry that I just read the e-mail to revise the manuscript right now. I have been on my annual leave since three weeks ago and not checking e-mail. I am just aware that I need to submit the revision before the deadline, which was yesterday. Please let me know if I still have a chance to submit it. I will try to submit it as soon as possible next week.

Best wishes,

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29 Desember 2022 pukul 18.41

Dear Dr Putri,

Thank you for your email.

This will not be a problem, we do appreciate that some revisions do take longer than others and we would be more than happy to accommodate an extension for you.

Please let me know the **tentative date** as for when you will be able to submit the revised manuscript. I will give you the extension accordingly.

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30 Desember 2022 pukul 17.46

Dear Dr Jagtap,

Thank you so much for your understanding. We are working on the revision right now. We hope we can address the reviewers' comments before the end of next week. Please let me know if it is okay to have an extension until 8 January. However, we will work hard to send it before the extension deadline.

Best regards,

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Dear Dr Putri,

Thank you for your email.

Your extension has been granted and now, I have set the deadline of the submission to 8th January, 2023. Please submit the revised manuscript on or before 8th January, 2023.

Please feel free to contact us for any further queries.

Kind Regards,  
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## Peer Review Round 2

Page	Editor's comments	Revision
all	The manuscript needs extensive revision for language and grammar.	In this second round of review, we proofread the manuscript as suggested.
Abstract	The keywords used for publication search need to be revised.	We replaced the keywords as suggested. We replaced the poor, health policy, big data, population survey, public health which are too general explaining our manuscript. Currently we used education, National Health Insurance, Universal Health Coverage, disparity, social security.
Background, discussion	The innovations of this manuscript are limited. There is a need for more attention in the context of policy and implementation.	To raise more attention of readers on the policy context, we put more explanation in the Background on how the poor population are managed in the NHI implementation in Indonesia. We also explained the context of Indonesia at the discussion and recommendation.
Background, discussion	Authors should revise better to include current literature in the manuscript.	In the background section, we added several most recent publication which discussed how education level impacted health:  Ngaruiya C, Bernstein R, Leff R, Wallace L, Agrawal P, Selvam A, et al. Systematic review on chronic non-communicable disease in disaster settings. BMC Public Health [Internet]. 2022;22(1). Available from: <a href="https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-022-13399-z">https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-022-13399-z</a>  Wulandari RD, Laksono AD, Mubasyiroh R, Rachmalina R, Ipa M, Rohmah N. Hospital utilization among urban poor in Indonesia in 2018: is government-run insurance effective?

		<p>BMC Public Health [Internet]. 2023;23(1):92. Available from: <a href="https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-023-15017-y">https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-023-15017-y</a></p> <p>In the discussion, we added several most recent publications to help us explained how the education determine individual membership on health insurance, including making comparation on the international context:</p> <p>Laksono, A. D. <i>et al.</i> (2023) ‘Policy to expand hospital utilization in disadvantaged areas in Indonesia: who should be the target?’, <i>BMC public health</i>. BioMed Central, 23(1), p. 12. doi: 10.1186/s12889-022-14656-x.</p> <p>Osei Afriyie, D. <i>et al.</i> (2022) ‘Equity in health insurance schemes enrollment in low and middle-income countries: A systematic review and meta-analysis’, <i>International Journal for Equity in Health</i>. BioMed Central, 21(1), pp. 1–12. doi: 10.1186/s12939-021-01608-x.</p> <p>Wulandari, R. D. <i>et al.</i> (2023) ‘Hospital utilization among urban poor in Indonesia in 2018: is government-run insurance effective?’, <i>BMC public health</i>. BioMed Central, 23(1), p. 92. doi: 10.1186/s12889-023-15017-y.</p>
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Dear Dr Putri,

Re: "Predictors of National Health Insurance membership among the poor with different education levels in Indonesia"

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### Editor comments

The article has been accepted with the following minor revisions:

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