

## ARTICLE REVIEW

1. Article:
  - A. Title of article: \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Journal: \_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Citation:
    - I. Year: \_\_\_\_\_
    - II. Volume: \_\_\_\_\_
    - III. Issue: \_\_\_\_\_
    - IV. Page(s): \_\_\_\_\_
2. Where was article found? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Why was study done: \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. Who is the study about? \_\_\_\_\_
  - A. How were participants recruited? \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. How many participants were included in the study? \_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Were any participants excluded from study? \_\_\_\_\_
  - D. Was the testing situation "real life"? YES NO
5. Was the design of the study sensible? YES NO
  - A. Was the study qualitative or quantitative (circle one)
  - B. Variables:
    - I. Dependent (what was being measured):  
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    - II. Independent (what was being manipulated?)  
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    - a. How was it being measured?  
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    - b. Is this method of measurement appropriate? YES NO
  - III. Confounding Variables \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Was the study controlled? YES NO
  - I. Was the randomization process described and if so was it adequate? \_\_\_\_\_
  - II. If not randomized, was any method of control mentioned? \_\_\_\_\_
  - III. If it was a group comparison, were there any characteristics that were not equal?  
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- D. Was the assessment of outcome "blind"? YES NO

6. Results

A. Were charts/tables provided? YES NO

I. If yes, what was displayed? \_\_\_\_\_

II. Were you able to interpret the results from the table? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Statistics

A. What type of data is reported: Nominal Ordinal Interval Ratio

B. What statistical test was used? \_\_\_\_\_

C. What level of significance was used? \_\_\_\_\_

D. Is there any reference to any of the following, and if so, what was the finding?

I. Relative Risk Reduction: \_\_\_\_\_

II. Absolute Risk Reduction: \_\_\_\_\_

III. Number Needed to Treat: \_\_\_\_\_

IV. Odds Ratio: \_\_\_\_\_

8. Conclusion

A. What was the conclusion of the authors based upon the research?

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B. Where any limitations listed? \_\_\_\_\_

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