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Dear Author/s;

We are pleased to inform you that your manuscript no 1421-5 entitle "TRAUMA SYMPTOMS: VICTIMS OF ARMED CONFLICT AND TSUNAMI IN ACEH" has been reviewed and is required some revisions. Please read the reviewers' comments and make the recommended revisions.

Please try your best to complete the revision within 3 weeks by 18 February 2014 if you are willing your paper to be published in the Malaysian Online Journal of Counseling. Please resubmit your revised manuscript highlighting the list of changes or rebuttals for each point made by reviewers along with the clean revised version to the journal.

Please submit the revised version of your manuscript through email to mojceditorial@gmail.com. Looking forward to receive your revised manuscript soon.

Thank you & Best Regards.

Reviewer's comment:

# Reviewer 1

Overall the paper is good. It has clarity and easy to be read. Not too short or too long. Just be mindful with minor typo errors and APA formatting. The content as a whole is good with it’s originality and beneficial to be published.

Kindly refer to the attachment.

# Reviewer 2

The article (1421-5) is trying to show the effect of two situations i.e. armed conflict and tsunami on victims who suffered traumatic symptoms using quantitative method through standard trauma symptom inventory (TSI). However there are some weak points in this article. Among the points are, objectives of the study are not mentioned clearly in the earlier part of the writing (It does write in the methods under Tool Review impact, level, differences) and yet the way the findings are written and discuss are not well organize.

The citation mostly discussed on the definition of trauma, no definition of armed conflict and tsunami itself. For the research design, two methods used: quantitative and qualitative (this
should be elaborated too). Sampling of the subjects were not clear and confusing. My suggestion that this paper need to organize the writing, make the objective clear, write more about other research in this field, avoid mentioning references that not in the writing. Overall this article is important however need to organize the writing which this article is accepted with major correction.

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