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## Mental Health Interventions in Family Contexts: A Cultural Approach

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#### 1. Round 1

#### 1.1. Reviewer 1

Reviewer:

The abstract states, "This article explores the importance of culturally adapted mental health interventions in family contexts." It would benefit from a brief mention of key findings or conclusions to provide a clearer summary of the article's contributions.

The article would benefit from a clear theoretical framework. For instance, the sentence, "A family-focused approach considers the family unit's dynamics," could be expanded to include specific theories or models that underpin this approach.

Expand on the practical implications of the findings. For example, the sentence, "Culturally adapted interventions can better address the specific needs and dynamics of diverse families," could include specific recommendations for practitioners.

Authors revised the manuscript.

### 1.2. Reviewer 2

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In the introduction, the authors mention, "Mental health interventions within family contexts are gaining recognition." It would strengthen the introduction to include specific examples or statistics to support this claim.

The literature review section references Ballal et al. (2019) but lacks a critical analysis of their findings. Adding a discussion on the methodologies and limitations of the referenced studies would enhance this section.

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#### 2. Revised

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