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Dear author/s, I would like to thank you for this editorial on an evolving field in Medicine: POCUS. The editorial is a brief review of its use and barriers to further adoption in certain backgrounds such as the low economic setups. Please include that the unavailability of ultrasound machines still precludes its use in low-socioeconomic countries. Suggest citing, Munasinghe BM, Fernando UP, Srisothinathan N, Subramaniam N, Jayamanne BD, Arulmoli J. Critical care ultrasonography as a decision support and therapeutic assist tool in the intensive care unit: a single center retrospective survey in a district general hospital, Sri Lanka. Journal of the Postgraduate Institute of Medicine. 2021 Dec 31;8(2):1-2. The article contains a few grammar and sentence-structuring mistakes. Please revise these. For a brief editorial, the content seems to be of adequate quantity and quality.