

**Conflict of interest:**

V. Rapisarda: no conflicts of interest *Rapisarda V.*

C. Loreto: no conflicts of interest *C. Loreto*

M. Malaguarnera: no conflicts of interest *M. Malaguarnera*

A. Ardini: no conflicts of interest *Ardini*

M. Proiti: no conflicts of interest *M. Proiti*

G. Rigano: no conflicts of interest *Rigano G.*

E. Frazzetto: no conflicts of interest *E. Frazzetto*

M.I. Ruggeri: no conflicts of interest *M. I. Ruggeri*

G. Malaguarnera: no conflicts of interest *G. Malaguarnera*

N. Bertino: no conflicts of interest *Nicoleta Bertino*

M. Malaguarnera: no conflicts of interest *M. Malaguarnera - Michele*

I. Di Carlo: no conflicts of interest *I. Di Carlo*

A. Toro: no conflicts of interest *A. Toro*

E. Bertino: no conflicts of interest *E. Bertino*

G. Bertino: no conflicts of interest *G. Bertino*