

Name of journal: *World Journal of Gastroenterology*

ESPS Manuscript NO: 20812

20812 -Biostatistics statement

The statistical methods of this study were reviewed by Dr. Sidney Emanuel Batista dos Santos, specialist in Mathematics and PhD in Genetics, from the Universidade Federal do Pará, Belém, PA, Brazil.



Dr. Sidney Emanuel Batista dos Santos

Date: Oct/26/2015



Dr. Andrea Ribeiro-dos-Santos

Date: Oct/26/2015