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Accuracy of an administrative database for pancreatic cancer by ICD 10th codes: A retrospective large-cohort study

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Informed constant statement: Patients were not required to give informed consent to the study because our study was done retrospectively. Data for study were obtained after each patient agreed to treatment.

Sincerely,

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