

Certificate of Biostatistics

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To whom it may concern

Title of Study: Type 2 Diabetes mellitus increases the liver transplant-free mortality in patients with cirrhosis: A systematic review and meta-analysis of cohort studies

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This letter is to confirm that I have read the ethics application prepared for this study, and that in my opinion the statistical methods and techniques mentioned are appropriate for the research.

Please contact me if you have any queries.

Sincerely,



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