

**Biostatistics statement**

**Title**

**The rising incidence, progression and changing patterns of liver disease in  
Wales 1999-2019**

**MS for consideration in World Journal of Hepatology**

The statistical methods of this study were reviewed by a member of the Biostatistic  
/epidemiology service from Public Health Wales.

**Name**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Tom Pembroke', written in a cursive style.

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