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Respected Editor-in-Chief,

Please be aware that the study presented in the attached manuscript, "Influence of Non-Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease (NAFLD) on Non-Variceal Upper Gastrointestinal Bleeding Hospitalizations (NVUGIB) in the United States: A nationwide analysis" which utilized data from the National Inpatient Sample database, meets all relevant ethical and regulatory standards.

All authors listed on the manuscript are informed are in agreement with submission of manuscript to the World Journal of Hepatology,

On behalf of the team,

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