

Dear editor,

We are grateful to you for your valuable advice. We have study your comments carefully and have made modifications and corrections which we hope meet your approval.

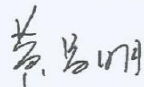
1 Institutional review board statement

The study was reviewed and approved by the Fujian Medical University Union Hospital Institutional Review Board.

If you have any question about this manuscript, please don't hesitate to let me know.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Chang-Ming Huang

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Chang-Ming Huang' in a stylized cursive script.