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Observational Study

Race and colorectal cancer screening compliance among persons with a family history of cancer

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Biostatistics Statement

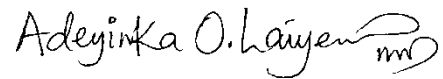
The statistical methods of this study were performed and reviewed by the first and corresponding author Adeyinka O. Laiyemo, MD, MPH who has a Master of Public Health degree with Epidemiology and Biostatistics Concentration from Johns Hopkins University.

Statistical review was performed before the submission of the paper. The statistical methods were adequately and appropriately described when they

were used to verify the results and the statistical techniques were suitable and correct. The number of observations and subjects (n) were given.

The P value was used to indicate statistical significance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Adeyinka O. Laiyemo" followed by a stylized flourish.

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