

Name of Journal: *World Journal of Transplantation*

ESPS Manuscript NO: 21767

Manuscript Type: ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Retrospective Cohort Study

Total pancreatectomy and islet autotransplantation: A decade nationwide analysis

Institutional review board statement: The nationwide inpatient sample (NIS) database has been used for this study, which is appropriate for exemption from IRB since no personal identifiers were used in the registry data.

Correspondence to: Hirohito Ichii, M.D, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Clinical Surgery, Division of Transplant, Department of Surgery, Department of Surgery, University of California, Irvine Medical Center, 333 City Boulevard West Suite 1205, Orange, CA 92868

Phone: (714) 456-8698

Fax: (714) 456-8796

E-mail: hichii@uci.edu



1/20/2016