

# Informed Consent statement

**Title:**

**Narrow pelvic inlet plane area and obesity as risk factors for anastomotic leakage after intersphincteric resection**

**Informed consent statement:**

Patients were not required to give informed consent to the study because the analysis used anonymous clinical data that were obtained after each patient agreed to treatment by written consent.

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