

Certificate of Biostatistics

May. 13th, 2021

To whom it may concern

Title of the study: Assessing optimal Roux-en-Y reconstruction technique after total gastrectomy using the PGSAS-45 scale

Manuscript NO: 64321

Author: Author: Masami Ikeda, Masashi Yoshida, Norio Mitsumori, Tsuyoshi Etoh, Chikashi Shibata, Masanori Terashima, Junya Fujita, Kazuaki Tanabe, Nobuhiro Takiguchi, Atsushi Oshio, Koji Nakada

This letter is to confirm that I have read the ethics application prepared for this study, and that in my opinion the statistical methods and techniques mentioned are appropriate for the research.

Please contact me if you have any queries.

Sincerely,

Atsushi Oshio

Atsushi Oshio, Ph.D., Faculty of Letters, Arts and Sciences, Waseda University
1-24-1 Toyama, Shinjuku, Tokyo, 162-8644 JAPAN
e-mail: oshio.at@waseda.jp