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Dear Editors-in-Chief,

I hold a certificate in Applied Biostatistics from the Harvard Clinical and Translational

Science Centre, and I have thoroughly checked the statistical methodology in the original

research article entitled "Elderly patients with non-cardiac admissions and elevated high-

sensitivity troponin: the prognostic value of renal function" so that it meets the requirements

of academic publishing.

Yours sincerely,

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