

# **Informed Consent Statement**

**Title:** Integrative analysis of platelet-related genes for the prognosis of esophageal cancer

Based on 151 esophageal cancer samples

The data for the study came from public databases and did not involve blood or tissue samples from humans or animals. Therefore, the study did not involve any informed consent issues.

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