

Certificate of Biostatistics

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To whom it may concern

Title of Study: Impact of renaming NAFLD to MAFLD in prevalence, characteristics and risk factors :A cross-section study

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

Please contact me if you have any queries.

Sincerely,



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