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**Re: Cumulative radiation exposure from diagnostic imaging in ICU patients**

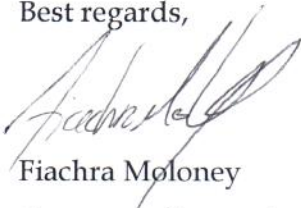
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Informed consent statement:

Dear Editor,

Informed consent was not deemed necessary for this study. Clinical and radiological data was collected prospectively in an anonymised fashion and no patient underwent additional procedures or investigations as a result of inclusion in the study. No potential risks to patients were identified. The clinical research ethics committee granted approval for the study without a requirement of consent from each patient.

Best regards,



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