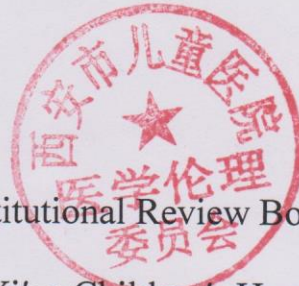


### **Institutional review board statement**

The article "Pancreatitis in hand-foot-and-mouth disease caused by Enterovirus 71" was reviewed by Institutional Review Board in Xi'an Children's Hospital with protocol number **2015-014**, and determined as not human subject research as defined by the policies in accordance with Office for Human Research Protections and Food and Drug Administration regulations.



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