

Certificate of Biostatistics

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To whom it may concern

Title of Study: Do we need fascial closure for 12 mm trocar? A comparative study of trocar site hernia with long-term follow-up.

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This letter is to confirm that for my opinion the statistical analysis of this research is appropriate.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Orawan Supapueng." The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Orawan" and the last name "Supapueng" clearly distinguishable.

Sincerely,

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