



Certificate of Biostatistics

To whom it may concern

Title Of study: Polymorphisms in HIF-1a Gene are not Associated with
Diabetic Retinopathy (DR) in China

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

please contact me if you have any questions.

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