

Biostatistics statement

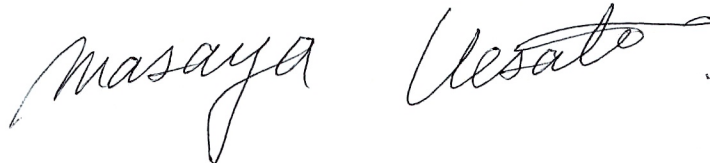
Title:

Why is endosonography insufficient for residual diagnosis after neoadjuvant therapy for esophageal cancer? Solutions using muscle layer evaluation

The statistical methods of this study were reviewed by Masaya Uesato, who is well versed in statistics.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Masaya Uesato". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style. The first name "Masaya" is written in a more compact, rounded script, while the last name "Uesato" is written in a more elongated, flowing script with a prominent flourish at the end.

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