

INFORMED CONSENT STATEMENT

Name of Journal: *World Journal of Gastroenterology*

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Title: Assessment of scoring systems for acute-on-chronic liver failure at predicting short-term mortality in patients with alcoholic hepatitis

Informed consent statement: As a retrospective review, a waiver of consent was granted by the Ethics Review Board of Uijeongbu St. Mary's Hospital as the study satisfied that the research involves no more than minimal risk to the subjects, the waiver does not adversely affect the rights and welfare of research participants, and the research could not be practicably carried out without the waiver.