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## Dear Editor in chief

Hereby, I, Abdolrahim Kazemi (The secretary of Research and Technology Deputy of Shahrekord University of Medical Sciences: SKUMS) confirm that the proposal and protocol of the research project "Shahrekord Cohort Study" has been approved by the Ethics committee and the research council of this university (code: IR.SKUMS.REC.1394.286).

I also declare that this project was founded by Iran ministry of health and medical education (Grant no: 700/120) and the research and technology deputy of this university (Grant no: 2763).

Besides that, this study is ongoing as the data are being collected (Main PI: Dr. Ali Ahmadi).

The image of the original document (Persian version) is attached.

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گواهي ميشود طرح پژوهشي كوهورت جهان بين استان تحت مسئوليت و هماهنگ كننده اجرايي آقاي دكتر علي احمدي در كميته اخلاق مورخ ۹٤/۱۲/۹ مطرح وبه صورت عمومي با كد اخلاق ۱R.SKUMS.REC.۱۳۹٤.۲۸٦ به تصويب رسيد وهمچنين مقررگرديدهرگونه طرح پژوهشي زيرمجموعه اين طرح مجددا در كميته اخلاق دانشگاه مطرح گردد.

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