

Supplementary Table S1. Names and locations of local ethics committees or institutional review boards.

Ethics Committee or Institutional Review Board	Location
IRB & IEC of 81 Hospital of PLA	Nanjing, China
IEC of Affiliated Hospital of Academy of Military Sciences	Beijing, China
First Affiliated Hospital of Fourth Military Medical University Ethics Committee	Xian, China
The Sir Run Run Shaw of Hospital	Hangzhou, China
Zhongshan Hospital Ethics Committee	Shanghai, China
Sun Yatsan University Cancer	Guangzhou, China
Nanfang Hospital	Guangzhou, China
The Joint Chinese University of Hong Kong – New Territories East Cluster Clinical Research Ethics Committee (The Joint CUHK-NTEC CREC)	New Territories, Hong Kong
Institutional Review Board of the University of Hong Kong/Hospital Authority Hong Kong West Cluster (HKU/HA HKW IRB)	Hong Kong
SingHealth CIRB	Singapore, Singapore
Institutional Review Board, Chulalongkorn University	Bangkok, Thailand
Siriraj Institutional Review Board	Bangkok, Thailand
Office of The Khon Kaen University Ethics Committee in Human Research	Khon Kaen, Thailand
National Taiwan University Hospital Research Ethics Committee	Taipei City, Taiwan
Institutional Review Board National Cheng Kung University Hospital	Tainan, Taiwan