

## Impact of HbA1c Criterion on the Detection of Subjects with Increased Risk for Diabetes among Health Check-Up Recipients in Korea (*Diabetes Metab J* 2012;36:151-6)

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Regarding the standardization of A1c value, we measured A1c by ion-exchange high-performance liquid chromatography using an automated analyzer (Variant II<sup>TM</sup>; Bio-Rad Laboratories, Hercules, CA, USA), which has already been aligned to the Diabetes Control and Complications Trial (DCCT) reference standard and certified by the National Glycohemoglobin Standardization Program [1,2].

### CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

No potential conflict of interest relevant to this article was reported.

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