



MEMORANDUM

To: Dr. Tamar Sofer

From: JHS Publications & Presentations Committee

Date: November 15, 2023

RE: Manuscript Review (#1669: Machine learning models for blood pressure phenotypes combining multiple polygenic risk scores)

The JHS Publications and Presentations Committee reviewed your manuscript and it has been **accepted as is**.

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The following **acknowledgement** and **disclaimer** must be included in your submitted manuscript:

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