

Dear Editor,

We enclose our paper entitled as 'Should the threshold for definition of impaired fasting glucose be lowered?' as a short report for Diabetic Medicine. This paper has not been submitted to elsewhere. The research question of this paper is that whether the definition of impaired fasting glucose should be lowered, which is a current topic in diabetes. So we examined the proper cut-off for impaired fasting glucose to predict future diabetes in a Japanese large population. The study result provides one support to retain the conventional definition for impaired fasting glucose.

We hope that you will consider the paper favorably and find it acceptable for publication in the journal.

Best regards,

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