

## Data Sharing Statement

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<b>Item</b>	<b>Question</b>	<b>Authors' Response (place "-" if not applicable)</b>
1	Would you like to share data collected for your study to others?	Yes
2	If not, would you like to share the reason for your decision?	-
3	What data in particular will be shared?	The information of genetic variations and the correlations between genetic variations and survival in particular will be shared.
4	Any other documents will be shared? Such as study protocol, statistical analysis plan, informed consent form, clinical study report, analytic code.	Statistical analysis methods, informed consent form, and sequencing data will also be shared if requested.
5	When will data availability begin?	From the publication date.
6	When will data availability end?	Two years within the publication date, since the technique or survival data may be updated over time.
7	To whom will you share the data?	Thoracic surgeons who are interested in studies of ESCC prognosis and genetic alterations.
8	For what type of analysis or purpose?	For analysis to evaluate the relationships between survival and genetic alterations in ESCC patients.
9	How or where can the data/documents be obtained?	Emails could be sent to the address below to obtain the shared data: zhq202208082022@163.com
10	Any other restrictions?	We may balance the potential benefits and risks for each request and then provide the data that could be shared.