

Table S1 The complete list of 17 hospitals included

Number	Hospital name	City
1	The First Affiliated Hospital of Guangzhou Medical University	Guangzhou
2	Guangdong Cardiovascular Institute, Guangdong Provincial People's Hospital	Guangzhou
3	Guangdong Hospital of Traditional Chinese Medicine	Zhuhai
4	Huizhou First Hospital	Huizhou
5	The First Affiliated Hospital of Shantou University Medical College	Shantou
6	The First Affiliated Hospital of Guangdong Pharmaceutical University	Guangzhou
7	The First Affiliated Hospital of Sun Yat-sen University	Guangzhou
8	Shunde Hospital of Southern Medical University	Foshan
9	Shunde Hospital Guangzhou University of Chinese Medicine (Shunde District Hospital of Chinese Medicine of Foshan City)	Foshan
10	The Third Affiliated Hospital of Sun Yat-sen University-Lingnan hospital	Guangzhou
11	Zhongshan People's Hospital	Zhongshan
12	Foresea Life Insurance Guangzhou General Hospital	Guangzhou
13	Guangzhou Panyu Central Hospital	Guangzhou
14	The Third Affiliated Hospital of Southern Medical University	Guangzhou
15	The Third Affiliated Hospital of Sun Yat-sen University	Guangzhou
16	The First Affiliated Hospital of Guangzhou University of Chinese Medicine	Guangzhou
17	The First Affiliated Hospital of Jinan University	Guangzhou

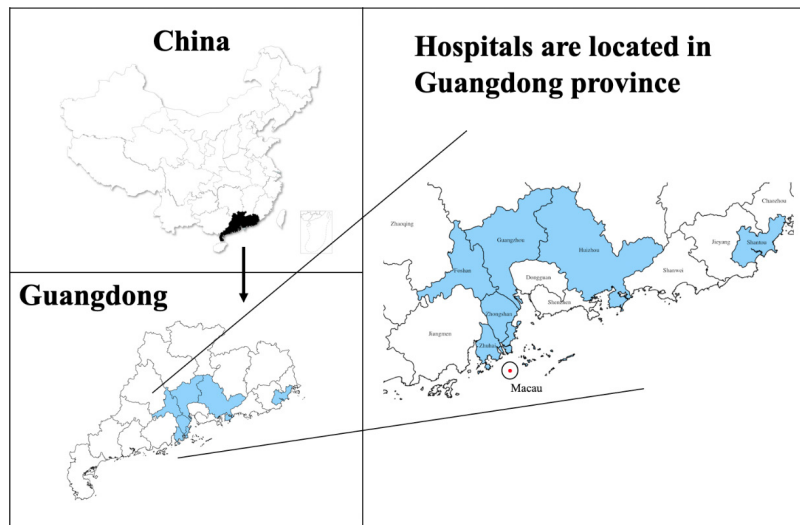


Figure S1 The geographic location of the hospitals included.