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Prof,

Please find enclosed a manuscript entitled: "Lip Print Analysis in Malaysian Chinese Population (Klang Valley): Lipstick-Cellophane Tape Technique" which I am submitting for consideration of publication as an article in the Jurnal Sains Kesihatan Malaysia.

2. The paper demonstrates a new finding for lip print analysis in Malaysian Chinese population in Klang Valley, Malaysia. Lip print analysis or cheiloscopy has become popular again ever since it was introduced in 1970's, however, it was mostly from the Indian nation. This study focussed more on Chinese population in Malaysia, with more sampling (412 subjects in total, 203 males and 209 females), as compared to other researchers who used less than 300 subjects. The current study noted that type II was the dominant pattern in four lip sections for both sexes (upper left, upper right, lower left, lower right) while type IV was the dominant pattern for both sexes; upper and lower middle of the lips, based on Suzuki & Tsuchihashi classification. Manuscript was proofread before submission. Cheiloscopic research involving Chinese ethnicity is seldom published hence authors would like to share the results from this study for the benefit of identification process in forensic science, mainly in crime scene investigation.

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