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Seroprevalence of HCV Antibody among Patients with **\beta**-Thalassemia Major in Amirkola Thalassemia Center,

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## Abstract:

β- thalassemia major is a common hemoglobinopathy in humans. In some journals, numerous studies have reported different prevalence of hepatitis C among  $\beta$ - thalassemia major because thalassemic patients need multiple blood transfusions and blood transfusion is a common transmission pathway for hepatitis C virus. Thus this study was performed for detection of anti-HCV between  $\beta$ - thalassemia major patients in our region.

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