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Name of study: Growth Research Outcomes With Therapy Hong Kong (GROWTH)
Summary The purpose of this study is to address the knowledge gap that exists in Hong Kong on the clinical practice of rhGH therapy in children and adolescents. This study aims to understand the variations in the clinical practice that may affect the clinical effectiveness and safety of rhGH therapy in children and adolescents, ultimately striving to optimise outcomes for these individuals.
Inclusion criteria – All children aged less than 18 years who were treated with rhGH between 1/1/2013 to 31/12/2022.
Exclusion criteria – No.
Data to be collected for all participating cases: Core Data GloBE-Reg rhGH Minimum Dataset Frequency – 6 Monthly
Expected outputs Data will be disseminated by publication in a journal, presentation in scientific meetings and in GloBE-Reg newsletter. The data shall also be used to create internal reports. The data that are collected shall also form the contents of a PhD of a postgraduate research student in the ORC Registries group.
Publication Plan for authorship in outputs The investigator will adhere to the GloBE-Reg recommendations . All current and future participating centres will be co-authors on all planned publications as long as they meet the ICMJE criteria listed. The co-authors will include those involved in study design, data provision, data extraction, data analysis and interpretation and those involved in the creation of the outputs. The support of all funders of the GloBE-Reg platform at the time the study was active will be acknowledged.