Reviewer’s report

Title: Sedative and hypnotic effects of Compound Anshen essential oil inhalation for insomnia

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Reviewer: Tadaaki Satou

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