

**Figure S2**

Forest plot showing the relationship between DEPDC5 rs1012068 polymorphism and HCC risk in individuals with chronic HCV infection under different genetic models: (A) allelic (G vs. T), (B) recessive (GG vs. TG + TT), (C) dominant (GG + TG vs. TT), (D) homozygous (GG vs. TT) and (E) heterozygous (TG vs. TT).

**Abbreviations:** DEPDC5, pleckstrin domain-containing protein 5; HCV, hepatitis C virus; HCC, hepatocellular carcinoma; CI, confidence interval; df, degree of freedom; M-H, Mantel-Haenszel.

