HYPOTHESIS

1. FTO gene polymorphism has association with development of obesity and abnormal fat metabolism and type 2 diabetes mellitus.

2. Anthropometric measurements like waist, hip and waist hip ratio have positive correlation with existence of CVD.

3. Subcutaneous fat distribution (thickness of skin folds) is a good prediction of type II diabetes and CVD.

4. Correlation of ABO blood group of subjects with existence of obesity.