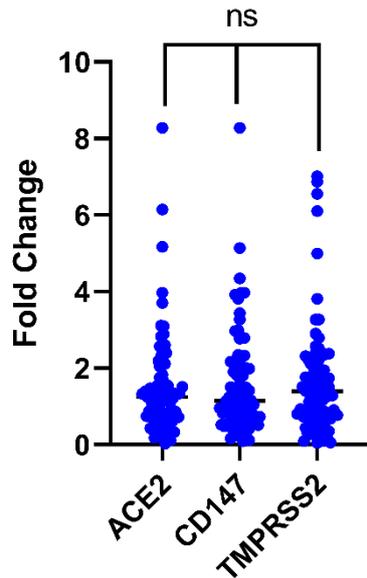
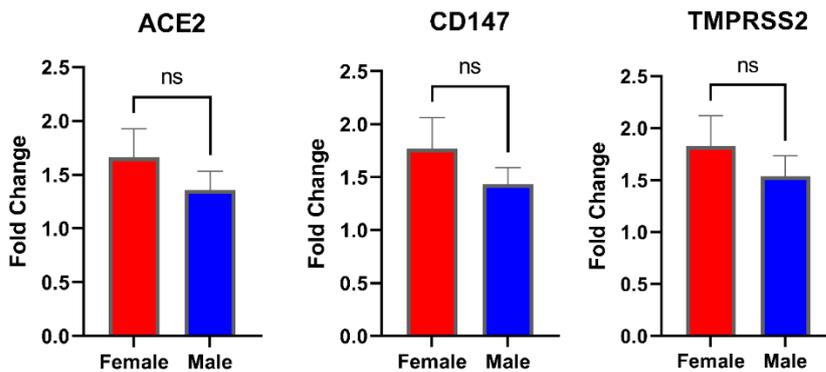


Supplementary Table 1. Primer Sequences used in the study

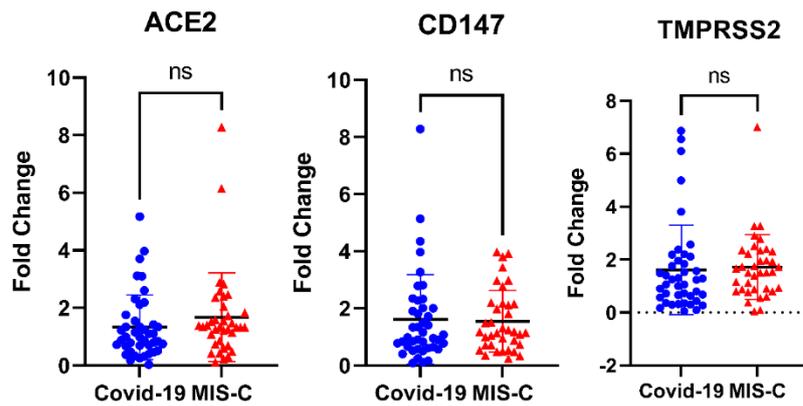
Target Gene	Forward Primer	Reverse Primer
ACE2	5'- TCCATTGGTCTTCTGTCACCCG-3'	5'-AGACCATCCACCTCCACTTCTC- 3'
CD147	5'- GGCTGTGAAGTCGTCAGAACAC- 3'	5'-ACCTGCTCTCGGAGCCGTTCA - 3'
TMPRSS2	5'- CCTCTAACTGGTGTGATGGCGT- 3'	5'-TGCCAGGACTTCCTCTGAGATG- 3'
GAPDH	5'- GTCTCCTCTGACTTCAACAGCG- 3'	5'-ACCACCCTGTTGCTGTAGCCAA- 3'



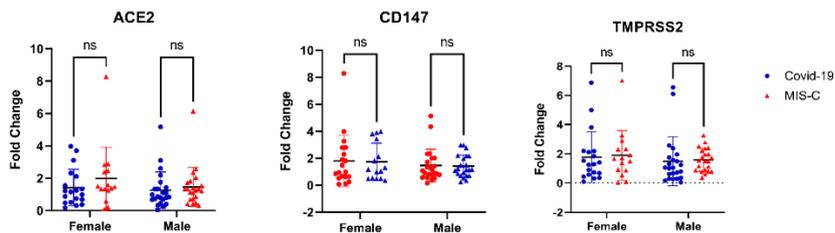
Supplementary Figure 1. Fold change of *ACE2*, *CD147*, and *TMPRSS2* in Nasopharyngeal Samples of Children. Fold changes were calculated from $\Delta\Delta C_t$ values. Analysis was done by using the Kruskal-Wallis test. $p=0.7576$.



Supplementary Figure 2. Comparison of *ACE2*, *CD147*, and *TMPRSS2* Expression. Fold changes were calculated from $\Delta\Delta C_t$ values. Analysis was done by using the Mann-Whitney two-tailed test. Error bars represent the standard error of the mean. P values for gender comparison of *ACE2*, *CD14*, and *TMPRSS2* genes are 0.3502, 0.9118, and 0.6666 respectively.



Supplementary Figure 3. Fold Change Differences of *ACE2*, *CD147*, and *TMPRSS2* in Covid-19 and MIS-C Groups. Analysis was done by using the nonparametric Mann-Whitney two-tailed test. Error bars represent the standard deviation of the mean. *P* values for *ACE2*, *CD147*, and *TMPRSS2* are 0.1327, 0.7159, and 0.1135 respectively.



Supplementary Figure 4. Comparison of the target genes in Covid-19 and MIS-C groups. Analysis was done by using multiple nonparametric Mann-Whitney two-tailed tests. Error bars represent the standard deviation of the mean.