

Retraction

Role of macrophage migration inhibitory factor in mesenchymal epithelial transition of cervical carcinoma cells [Retraction]

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We had reported that an elevated macrophage migration inhibitory factor (MIF) level could facilitate cervical cancer cell invasion and migration, and elevate the vimentin and decrease

E-cadherin expression, thus facilitating epithelial-mesenchymal transition (EMT). But the results described in Figure 2 are totally wrong and cannot be reproduced in our follow-up studies. Therefore we have to retract our paper. We apologize for any inconvenience caused to the journal and the scientific community, by retracting the article.