

## Promotion of miR-221-5p on the Sensitivity of Gastric Cancer Cells to Cisplatin and Its Effects on Cell Proliferation and Apoptosis by Regulating DDRI [Retraction]

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At the authors request, the Editor and Publisher of *OncoTargets and Therapy* wish to retract the published article. On review of the study data the authors found that 23 of the 27 squamous cell carcinomas reported in Table 1 had been mistakenly identified as coming from gastric cancer patients. These patients were subsequently identified as esophageal cancer patients and should not have been included in the data analysis. As a result, the authors have determined the findings

of the study are invalid and requested for the article to be retracted.

The authors wish to apologise for this error.

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