

RETRACTION

Sulfasalazine Inhibits Inflammation and Fibrogenesis in Pancreas via NF-KB Signaling Pathway in Rats with Oxidative Stress-Induced Pancreatic Injury [Retraction]

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At the authors request, the Editor and Publisher of Drug Design, Development and Therapy wish to retract the published article. Previous concerns had been raised to the authors regarding the alleged duplication of images in Figures 1A-b and 1A-c and a corrigendum had been published. More recently, concerns have also been raised to the authors regarding the alleged duplication of images between Figure 2A-b and 2A-e. In addition, there were also concerns raised regarding the duplication of certain features between several images from Figures 2 and 3. The journal wishes to recognize that these particular concerns were introduced during the publication process and were not introduced by the authors.

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