Reviewer’s report

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Major Compulsory Revisions

The manuscript has been substantially improved. However, there is minimal data to support that the HCCR-1 expression is lower in normal pancreas. The authors show one band. Therefore, this statement should be removed from the manuscript.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests.